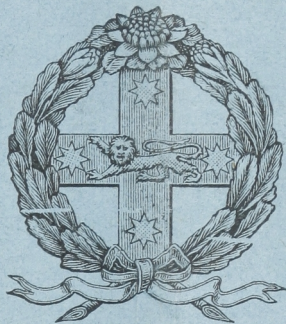


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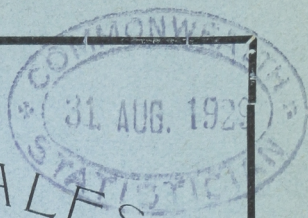
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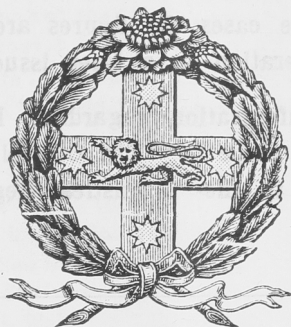
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No. 1.—Population of the State of New South Wales, 31st March, 1929.

| | Males. | Females. | Total. | Males. | Females. | Total. |
|--------------------------------------|--------|----------|--------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Population at 31st December, 1928... | ... | ... | ... | 1,247,091 | 1,199,783 | 2,446,874 |
| Births | 6,766 | 6,339 | 13,105 | | | |
| Deaths... .. | 3,054 | 2,357 | 5,411 | | | |
| Excess of Births | ... | ... | ... | 3,712 | 3,982 | 7,694 |
| Interstate, Land—Arrivals ... | 35,367 | 17,684 | 53,051 | | | |
| „ Departures | 33,238 | 16,619 | 49,857 | | | |
| Excess of Arrivals | 2,129 | 1,065 | 3,194 | | | |
| Interstate, Sea—Arrivals | 5,329 | 5,739 | 11,068 | | | |
| „ Departures... .. | 5,091 | 5,429 | 10,520 | | | |
| Excess of Arrivals | 238 | 310 | 548 | | | |
| Oversea—Arrivals | 7,718 | 7,270 | 14,988 | | | |
| „ Departures... .. | 7,554 | 7,023 | 14,577 | | | |
| Excess of Arrivals... .. | 164 | 247 | 411 | | | |
| Increase by Migration | ... | ... | ... | 2,531 | 1,622 | 4,153 |
| Population at 31st March, 1929 ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,253,334 | 1,205,387 | 2,458,721 |

Migration during Quarter ended 31st March, 1929.

| Country. | Arrivals. | Departures. | Excess of Arrivals. |
|--|-----------|-------------|---------------------|
| Victoria (Land) | 34,244 | 32,251 | 1,993 |
| „ (Sea) | 3,895 | 3,455 | 440 |
| Queensland (Land) | 11,210 | 10,740 | 470 |
| „ (Sea) | 2,537 | 2,402 | 135 |
| South Australia (Land) | 4,312 | 3,528 | 784 |
| „ (Sea) | 768 | 773 | (—) 5 |
| Western Australia (Land) | 612 | 521 | 91 |
| „ (Sea) | 1,037 | 894 | 143 |
| Tasmania (Sea) | 2,816 | 3,014 | (—) 198 |
| Northern Territory (Sea) | 15 | 47 | (—) 32 |
| Federal Territory (Land) | 2,673 | 2,817 | (—) 144 |
| Adjustment—Interstate Departures... .. | ... | (—) 65 | 65 |
| Interstate Migration | 64,119 | 60,377 | 3,742 |
| United Kingdom | 3,381 | 3,344 | 37 |
| Canada | 417 | 520 | (—) 103 |
| South Africa | 291 | 279 | 12 |
| Fiji | 706 | 524 | 182 |
| Hong Kong | 181 | 681 | (—) 500 |
| India and Ceylon | 354 | 229 | 125 |
| New Zealand | 7,020 | 6,001 | 1,019 |
| Other British Possessions | 783 | 860 | (—) 77 |
| Egypt | 112 | 96 | 16 |
| Italy | 353 | 310 | 43 |
| Japan | 31 | 88 | (—) 57 |
| South Sea Islands | 106 | 36 | 70 |
| United States of America | 381 | 508 | (—) 127 |
| Other Foreign Countries | 872 | 1,101 | (—) 229 |
| Oversea Migration | 14,988 | 14,577 | 411 |
| Total Migration | 79,107 | 74,954 | 4,153 |

The minus sign (—) denotes an excess of departures.

During the quarter 812 males and 870 females arrived under the Joint Commonwealth and State Assisted Passage Scheme, including 96 Dreadnought lads, 72 farm lads, 21 Little Brothers, 3 Salvation Army lads, 144 Female Domestics, and 14 Wembley lads.

**No. 2.—Nationality of Persons arriving in New South Wales and departing therefrom—
Countries outside Australia—Year 1928, and January-March, 1929.**

| Nationality or Race. | During Year 1928. | | During January-March, 1929. | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------|--------|----------------------|----------|--------|
| | Total Arrivals. | Total recorded Departures. | Arrivals. | | | Recorded Departures. | | |
| | | | Males. | Females. | Total. | Males. | Females. | Total. |
| British | 50,897 | 40,001 | 6,433 | 6,650 | 13,083 | 5,899 | 6,196 | 12,095 |
| Danish | 96 | 78 | 19 | 4 | 23 | 14 | 7 | 21 |
| Dutch | 131 | 121 | 17 | 7 | 24 | 13 | 4 | 17 |
| French | 568 | 549 | 75 | 85 | 160 | 98 | 91 | 189 |
| German | 397 | 287 | 67 | 31 | 98 | 60 | 25 | 85 |
| Greek | 371 | 161 | 32 | 3 | 35 | 40 | 5 | 45 |
| Italian | 1,050 | 463 | 151 | 84 | 235 | 170 | 49 | 219 |
| Jugo Slavs | 309 | 225 | 19 | 12 | 31 | 56 | 9 | 65 |
| Maltese (British) | 51 | 66 | 9 | 1 | 10 | 9 | 2 | 11 |
| Norwegian... .. | 38 | 36 | 9 | 2 | 11 | 8 | | 8 |
| Russian | 165 | 90 | 7 | 6 | 13 | 11 | 7 | 18 |
| Swedish | 52 | 41 | 12 | 3 | 15 | 10 | 6 | 16 |
| Swiss | 147 | 80 | 16 | 10 | 26 | 25 | 9 | 34 |
| United States of America... .. | 1,886 | 1,071 | 324 | 234 | 558 | 250 | 191 | 441 |
| Other European | 1,065 | 345 | 88 | 68 | 156 | 88 | 26 | 114 |
| Chinese | 2,514 | 2,452 | 316 | 33 | 349 | 592 | 54 | 646 |
| Indians | 483 | 267 | 57 | 1 | 58 | 67 | | 67 |
| Japanese | 156 | 134 | 18 | 1 | 19 | 29 | 6 | 35 |
| Syrians | 97 | 28 | 5 | 3 | 8 | 8 | 5 | 13 |
| Other Non-European | 313 | 234 | 44 | 32 | 76 | 32 | 29 | 61 |
| | 60,786 | 47,329 | 7,718 | 7,270 | 14,988 | 7,479 | 6,721 | 14,200 |

No. 3.—Population, Births, Deaths, and Marriages—New South Wales—1917-29.

| Year. | Estimated Population. at end of Year. | Births. | Deaths. | | Marriages. | Annual Rate per 1,000 Population. | | | Infantile Mortality. |
|-----------------|--|---------|---------|-----------------|------------|-----------------------------------|---------|------------|--|
| | | | Total. | Under one year. | | Births. | Deaths. | Marriages. | Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births |
| 1917 | 1,921,488 | 52,467 | 17,969 | 3,016 | 13,261 | 27.54 | 9.43 | 6.96 | 57.5 |
| 1918 | 1,963,345 | 50,700 | 18,840 | 3,000 | 13,199 | 26.09 | 9.69 | 6.79 | 59.2 |
| 1919 | 2,039,723 | 48,528 | 26,385 | 3,507 | 15,818 | 24.26 | 13.19 | 7.91 | 72.3 |
| 1920 | 2,092,989 | 53,974 | 20,961 | 3,770 | 20,183 | 26.09 | 10.13 | 9.76 | 69.9 |
| 1921 | 2,129,505 | 54,634 | 20,934 | 3,436 | 18,518 | 25.91 | 9.50 | 8.78 | 63.0 |
| 1922 | 2,174,553 | 55,214 | 19,178 | 2,980 | 17,583 | 25.67 | 8.92 | 8.17 | 54.0 |
| 1923 | 2,211,106 | 54,112 | 21,051 | 3,302 | 17,507 | 24.68 | 9.60 | 7.99 | 61.0 |
| 1924 | 2,256,090 | 53,670 | 20,821 | 3,191 | 18,077 | 24.07 | 9.34 | 8.11 | 59.5 |
| 1925 | 2,300,081 | 54,615 | 20,823 | 2,999 | 18,522 | 24.00 | 9.15 | 8.14 | 54.9 |
| 1926 | 2,349,401 | 53,126 | 22,188 | 3,060 | 19,219 | 22.88 | 9.56 | 8.28 | 57.6 |
| 1927 | 2,401,884 | 53,858 | 22,770 | 2,960 | 20,052 | 22.68 | 9.59 | 8.45 | 55.0 |
| 1928 | 2,446,874 | 54,800 | 22,694 | 3,008 | 20,076 | 22.59 | 9.35 | 8.27 | 54.9 |
| Jan.-Mar., 1929 | | 13,105 | 5,411 | 741 | 4,699 | 21.42 | 8.85 | 7.68 | 56.5 |
| Jan.-Mar., 1928 | | 13,838 | 5,233 | 850 | 4,892 | 23.05 | 8.71 | 8.15 | 61.4 |

The population of the State at the Census of 3rd April, 1921, was, Males, 1,072,424; Females, 1,029,544; Total, 2,101,968.
NOTE.—The population includes Aborigines of full-blood, of whom there were 1,597 (males 923, and females 674) at the Census 1921.

The population is exclusive of Federal Capital Area, the population of which at the Census on 3rd April, 1921, was 2,572 (no aborigines), of whom 1,567 were males and 1,005 females.

Ex-nuptial births in New South Wales numbered 2,748 in 1926, 2,693 in 1927, 2,707 in 1928, and 633 in March Quarter, 1929.

No. 4.—Arrivals in and Departures from New South Wales, 1917-29.

| Year. | Arrivals in New South Wales. | | | Adjusted Departures from New South Wales. | | |
|-----------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|---|---------------------|---------|
| | Interstate. | From other Countries. | Total. | Interstate. | To other Countries. | Total. |
| 1917 | 274,768 | 35,063 | 309,831 | 260,616 | 49,117 | 309,733 |
| 1918 | 299,735 | 38,744 | 338,479 | 288,732 | 39,750 | 328,482 |
| 1919 | 240,263 | 93,276 | 333,539 | 235,887 | 43,417 | 279,304 |
| 1920 | 311,068 | 72,515 | 383,583 | 303,222 | 60,108 | 363,330 |
| 1921 | 284,927 | 57,190 | 342,117 | 288,084 | 52,117 | 340,201 |
| 1922 | 277,938 | 53,326 | 331,264 | 283,432 | 38,820 | 322,252 |
| 1923 | 283,014 | 48,084 | 331,098 | 290,691 | 36,915 | 327,606 |
| 1924 | 300,816 | 55,066 | 355,882 | 304,095 | 39,652 | 343,747 |
| 1925 | 308,241 | 55,201 | 363,442 | 311,035 | 42,208 | 353,243 |
| 1926 | 288,354 | 62,395 | 350,749 | 288,793 | 43,574 | 332,367 |
| 1927 | 244,456 | 65,485 | 309,941 | 242,541 | 46,005 | 288,546 |
| 1928 | 231,523 | 60,786 | 292,309 | 230,885 | 48,540 | 279,425 |
| Jan.-Mar., 1929 | 64,119 | 14,988 | 79,107 | 60,377 | 14,577 | 74,954 |

No. 5.—Population—Metropolis—1917-28.

| Year. | Estimated Population at end of Year. | | | Annual Increase. | | Mean Population. |
|-------|--------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------------|-----------|------------------|
| | Sydney (including Shipping). | Suburbs. | Total. | Numerical. | Per cent. | |
| 1917 | 114,510 | 684,180 | 798,690 | 20,580 | 2'64 | 788,400 |
| 1918 | 113,700 | 709,910 | 823,610 | 24,920 | 3'12 | 811,150 |
| 1919 | 112,220 | 756,850 | 869,070 | 45,460 | 5'52 | 846,340 |
| 1920 | 111,210 | 789,550 | 900,760 | 31,690 | 3'65 | 884,915 |
| 1921 | 110,430 | 816,170 | 926,600 | 25,840 | 2'87 | 913,680 |
| 1922 | 109,970 | 845,930 | 955,900 | 29,300 | 3'16 | 941,250 |
| 1923 | 109,970 | 871,430 | 981,400 | 25,500 | 2'67 | 968,650 |
| 1924 | 109,180 | 902,890 | 1,012,070 | 30,670 | 3'13 | 994,470 |
| 1925 | 106,350 | 933,040 | 1,039,390 | 27,320 | 2'70 | 1,024,240 |
| 1926 | 107,880 | 962,630 | 1,070,510 | 31,120 | 2'99 | 1,053,180 |
| 1927 | 109,640 | 991,550 | 1,101,190 | 30,680 | 2'79 | 1,085,080 |
| 1928 | 110,000 | 1,017,470* | 1,127,470* | 26,280 | 2'39 | 1,115,400 |

* Excluding Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe, and Parramatta, included in population shown in Table 51.

NOTE.—The population of Sydney and suburbs at the Census, 3rd April, 1921, was 906,103. The Shipping population of the City of Sydney at the Census of 1911 was 6,850, and at the Census of 1921, 6,898.

Up to 31st December, 1928, the Metropolis included the City of Sydney, forty-one municipalities surrounding it, and the islands of Port Jackson. It embraced an area of 181 square miles. From 1st January, 1929, the municipalities mentioned above will be included.

No. 6.—Vital Statistics—Metropolis—1917-29.

| Year. | Births. | Deaths. | | Marriages. | Annual Rate per 1,000 Population. | | | Infantile Mortality. |
|-----------------|---------|---------|-----------------|------------|-----------------------------------|---------|------------|---|
| | | Total. | Under one year. | | Births. | Deaths. | Marriages. | Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births. |
| 1918 | 19,526 | 7,862 | 1,225 | 6,906 | 24'07 | 9'69 | 8'51 | 62'7 |
| 1919 | 18,685 | 11,907 | 1,483 | 8,575 | 22'08 | 14'07 | 10'13 | 79'4 |
| 1920 | 22,352 | 9,429 | 1,658 | 11,606 | 25'26 | 10'66 | 13'12 | 74'2 |
| 1921 | 22,418 | 8,693 | 1,414 | 10,137 | 24'54 | 9'51 | 11'09 | 63'1 |
| 1922 | 22,090 | 8,425 | 1,279 | 9,621 | 23'47 | 8'95 | 10'22 | 57'9 |
| 1923 | 21,990 | 9,390 | 1,404 | 9,734 | 22'70 | 9'69 | 10'05 | 63'9 |
| 1924 | 22,058 | 9,234 | 1,262 | 9,908 | 22'18 | 9'29 | 9'96 | 57'2 |
| 1925 | 22,036 | 9,548 | 1,256 | 9,889 | 21'51 | 9'32 | 9'65 | 57'0 |
| 1926 | 21,487 | 10,220 | 1,315 | 10,381 | 20'40 | 9'70 | 9'86 | 61'2 |
| 1927 | 20,588* | 10,418* | 1,161* | 10,811 | 18'97 | 9'60 | 9'96 | 56'4 |
| 1928 | 21,151* | 10,408* | 1,042* | 11,009 | 18'96 | 9'33 | 9'87 | 49'3 |
| Jan.-Mar. 1929† | 5,548 | 2,733 | 317 | 2,704 | 18'22 | 8'98 | 8'88 | 57'1 |
| Jan.-Mar. 1928 | 5,374 | 2,368 | 289 | 2,710 | 19'52 | 8'60 | 9'84 | 53'8 |

† Since 1st Jan., 1929, the Metropolis has been extended by the inclusion of the municipalities of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe and Parramatta.

Ex-Nuptial births in the Metropolis numbered 1,523 in 1926, 1,194* in 1927 and 1,226 in 1928.

* Since the 1st January, 1927, these figures are based on the usual place of permanent residence.

No. 7.—Vital Statistics of the Metropolis—March Quarter, 1929.

| Particulars. | March Quarter. | Principal Causes of Death. | March Quarter. |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------------------|----------------|
| Births | 5,548 | Epidemic Diseases | 96 |
| Marriages | 2,704 | Tuberculosis of Respiratory System .. | 152 |
| Ex-Nuptial Births | 289 | Cancer | 317 |
| Deaths | 2,733 | Diseases of the Heart | 488 |
| Deaths under 1 year... .. | 317 | Pulmonary Diseases | 191 |
| " 1 year and over | 2,416 | Diarrhoea and Enteritis | 113 |
| Annual Rates per 1,000 of Population— | | Bright's Disease | 128 |
| Births | 18'22 | Developmental Diseases of Infants ... | 184 |
| Marriages | 8'88 | Senility | 68 |
| Ex-Nuptial Births | '95 | Accident | 175 |
| Deaths | 8'98 | | |
| Deaths under 1 per 1,000 Births ... | 57'14 | | |

No. 8.—Principal Causes of Death—During the March Quarter, 1929.

| Cause of Death. | Quarter ended 31st March, 1929. | | | | | |
|--|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|
| | Metropolis. | | | New South Wales. | | |
| | Males. | Females. | Total. | Males. | Females. | Total. |
| General Diseases— | | | | | | |
| Typhoid Fever | 3 | 1 | 4 | 10 | 8 | 18 |
| Measles | 4 | 6 | 10 | 14 | 13 | 27 |
| Scarlet Fever | 6 | 6 | 12 | 9 | 9 | 18 |
| Whooping-cough | 4 | 5 | 9 | 12 | 10 | 22 |
| Diphtheria | 9 | 13 | 22 | 17 | 26 | 43 |
| Influenza | 3 | 10 | 13 | 19 | 29 | 48 |
| Plague | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Erysipelas | 2 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 10 |
| Infantile Paralysis | ... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Epidemic Cerebro-spinal Meningitis... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Other Epidemic Diseases | 8 | 12 | 20 | 13 | 17 | 30 |
| Tuberculosis of Respiratory System | 79 | 73 | 152 | 129 | 126 | 255 |
| Tuberculosis, Meninges and Nervous System | 7 | 3 | 10 | 9 | 4 | 13 |
| Other Tuberculosis Diseases | 10 | 10 | 20 | 17 | 14 | 31 |
| Other Infectious Diseases | 15 | 7 | 22 | 27 | 15 | 42 |
| Cancer | 148 | 169 | 317 | 321 | 300 | 621 |
| Diabetes | 18 | 14 | 32 | 27 | 31 | 58 |
| Alcoholism | 6 | ... | 6 | 11 | 3 | 14 |
| Other General Diseases | 27 | 40 | 67 | 51 | 67 | 118 |
| Local Diseases— | | | | | | |
| Meningitis | 9 | 11 | 20 | 23 | 20 | 43 |
| Cerebral Haemorrhage | 41 | 59 | 100 | 89 | 91 | 180 |
| Convulsions of Infants | ... | 1 | 1 | 9 | 4 | 13 |
| Other Diseases of Nervous System ... | 48 | 42 | 90 | 97 | 93 | 190 |
| Diseases of the Heart... .. | 243 | 245 | 488 | 453 | 370 | 823 |
| Other Diseases Circulatory System ... | 88 | 45 | 133 | 143 | 66 | 209 |
| Bronchitis | 13 | 14 | 27 | 33 | 27 | 60 |
| Pneumonia | 80 | 60 | 140 | 177 | 134 | 311 |
| Other Diseases Respiratory System... | 16 | 19 | 35 | 41 | 33 | 74 |
| Diseases of the Stomach | 10 | 3 | 13 | 26 | 8 | 34 |
| Diarrhoea and Enteritis | 55 | 58 | 113 | 167 | 127 | 294 |
| Appendicitis | 19 | 12 | 31 | 46 | 22 | 68 |
| Hernia, Intestinal Obstruction | 18 | 15 | 33 | 38 | 29 | 67 |
| Cirrhosis of the Liver | 14 | 7 | 21 | 23 | 12 | 35 |
| Peritonitis | 1 | 5 | 6 | 2 | 7 | 9 |
| Other Diseases of Digestive System... | 23 | 17 | 40 | 46 | 39 | 85 |
| Bright's Disease (Acute and Chronic) | 69 | 59 | 128 | 134 | 111 | 245 |
| Other Genito-Urinary Diseases | 32 | 29 | 61 | 60 | 50 | 110 |
| Puerperal Septicaemia | ... | 11 | 11 | ... | 19 | 19 |
| Other Puerperal Diseases | ... | 25 | 25 | ... | 48 | 48 |
| Developmental Diseases of Infants— | | | | | | |
| Prematurity | 62 | 47 | 109 | 123 | 89 | 212 |
| Other Developmental Diseases | 45 | 30 | 75 | 106 | 74 | 180 |
| Senility | 29 | 39 | 68 | 95 | 88 | 183 |
| Violence— | | | | | | |
| Suicide | 33 | 10 | 43 | 61 | 13 | 74 |
| Accident | 131 | 44 | 175 | 318 | 83 | 401 |
| All other Causes | 17 | 8 | 25 | 53 | 21 | 74 |
| Total | 1,445 | 1,288 | 2,733 | 3,054 | 2,357 | 5,411 |

Note.—Since the 1st January, 1929, the Metropolis has been extended by the inclusion of the municipalities of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe and Parramatta.
The Figures are based on the usual place of residence of deceased.

No. 9.—Oversea Trade of New South Wales with Principal Countries.

| Country. | Imports. (Country of Origin). | | | Exports. | | |
|--|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| | 1925-26. | 1926-27. | 1927-28. | 1925-26. | 1926-27. | 1927-28. |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| United Kingdom | 26,641,934 | 26,830,519 | 26,320,855 | 15,674,127 | 15,416,894 | 13,672,444 |
| Canada | 1,560,525 | 1,930,729 | 1,622,135 | 380,482 | 231,035 | 312,492 |
| Fiji | 31,609 | 37,537 | 62,555 | 512,785 | 425,209 | 464,003 |
| Hong Kong | 630 | 6,149 | 10,742 | 298,376 | 184,571 | 166,417 |
| India and Ceylon | 3,383,157 | 3,613,424 | 3,024,188 | 320,566 | 499,690 | 138,888 |
| Irish Free State | 1,717 | 1,624 | 451 | 132 | 37,800 | 11,559 |
| Malaya | 370,977 | 621,893 | 577,266 | 504,018 | 446,301 | 437,543 |
| New Zealand | 1,321,221 | 1,596,015 | 1,414,989 | 2,873,009 | 2,654,937 | 2,519,143 |
| Union of South Africa | 583,730 | 606,384 | 491,991 | 240,127 | 181,254 | 150,945 |
| Other Oversea British | 1,361,356 | 1,506,825 | 1,370,043 | 1,153,639 | 1,108,954 | 1,026,445 |
| Total, British | 35,256,856 | 36,751,099 | 34,895,215 | 21,917,261 | 21,186,645 | 18,899,879 |
| Belgium | 324,298 | 358,162 | 374,502 | 2,545,447 | 3,742,784 | 3,729,040 |
| Czecho Slovakia | 183,833 | 217,934 | 273,001 | 30,427 | 9,022 | 19,665 |
| China | 339,458 | 424,759 | 336,832 | 151,663 | 121,535 | 136,987 |
| France | 1,577,118 | 1,839,369 | 1,614,057 | 8,889,315 | 8,563,244 | 7,158,406 |
| Germany | 1,107,961 | 1,722,933 | 1,939,335 | 2,992,452 | 4,462,654 | 5,077,241 |
| Italy | 549,941 | 578,896 | 544,300 | 1,762,287 | 1,207,515 | 1,527,248 |
| Japan | 2,028,579 | 2,643,349 | 2,150,265 | 4,950,130 | 5,465,688 | 6,551,326 |
| Netherlands | 310,751 | 420,721 | 484,835 | 394,993 | 351,848 | 199,721 |
| Netherlands East Indies | 2,746,307 | 2,936,755 | 2,552,993 | 677,232 | 637,728 | 506,129 |
| New Caledonia | 69,757 | 56,170 | 32,151 | 214,580 | 239,788 | 244,602 |
| Norway | 365,488 | 374,127 | 432,461 | 1,415 | 808 | 63 |
| Philippine Islands | 139,721 | 105,044 | 79,882 | 340,497 | 257,165 | 218,235 |
| Russia | 34,936 | 26,137 | 34,069 | | 50 | 874,911 |
| Sweden | 778,941 | 757,829 | 724,592 | 43,251 | 80,147 | 220,740 |
| Switzerland | 897,801 | 1,058,931 | 950,257 | 2,369 | 6,717 | 5,079 |
| United States of America | 16,417,205 | 17,891,253 | 16,745,612 | 7,748,695 | 14,846,671 | 5,612,409 |
| Other Foreign | 874,968 | 776,613 | 907,907 | 1,339,800 | 1,635,068 | 901,248 |
| Total, Foreign | 28,753,063 | 32,188,982 | 30,177,051 | 32,084,553 | 41,628,432 | 32,983,050 |
| Total, all Oversea Trade | 64,009,919 | 68,940,081 | 65,072,266 | 54,001,814 | 62,815,077 | 51,882,929 |

No. 10.—Oversea Imports and Exports of New South Wales.—Monthly.

| Month. | Imports. | | | | Exports. | | | |
|------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | 1925-26. | 1926-27. | 1927-28. | 1928-29. | 1925-26. | 1926-27. | 1927-28. | 1928-29. |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| July | 5,277,408 | 5,959,677 | 5,708,265 | 5,236,620 | 2,159,375 | 5,450,897 | 3,037,645 | 1,890,742 |
| August | 5,472,246 | 6,326,916 | 6,608,990 | 5,942,394 | 4,550,074 | 4,450,991 | 4,537,609 | 2,329,079 |
| September | 3,872,349 | 5,349,799 | 6,023,873 | 3,914,945 | 4,510,348 | 6,194,120 | 5,679,304 | 3,704,543 |
| | 14,622,003 | 17,636,392 | 18,341,128 | 15,093,959 | 11,219,797 | 16,096,008 | 13,254,558 | 7,924,364 |
| October | 4,861,825 | 5,749,768 | 6,168,842 | 6,498,171 | 5,148,101 | 7,901,686 | 4,882,564 | 4,872,266 |
| November | 6,391,134 | 6,136,335 | 5,715,456 | 5,352,446 | 5,482,324 | 4,727,724 | 5,607,158 | 5,634,673 |
| December | 6,208,020 | 5,676,814 | 4,944,217 | 5,277,015 | 5,180,022 | 5,454,053 | 4,957,125 | 5,830,362 |
| | 17,460,979 | 17,562,917 | 16,828,515 | 17,127,632 | 15,810,447 | 18,083,463 | 15,446,847 | 16,337,331 |
| January | 5,403,032 | 5,596,871 | 5,528,947 | 6,067,701 | 4,718,789 | 4,755,532 | 4,860,491 | 4,095,506 |
| February | 4,855,832 | 5,622,966 | 5,234,074 | 4,520,656 | 5,121,936 | 5,729,180 | 5,270,376 | 6,280,544 |
| March | 6,207,322 | 6,188,828 | 4,860,121 | 4,866,529 | 4,355,260 | 6,944,686 | 5,952,571 | 5,553,226 |
| | 16,466,186 | 17,408,665 | 15,623,142 | 15,454,886 | 14,195,985 | 17,429,398 | 16,083,438 | 15,929,276 |
| April | 4,993,231 | 5,938,487 | 3,933,356 | 5,223,962 | 2,952,365 | 3,520,708 | 2,023,997 | 3,391,601 |
| May | 5,454,297 | 5,415,530 | 5,682,486 | 5,079,170 | 5,510,615 | 4,694,474 | 2,336,152 | 3,460,982 |
| June | 4,839,849 | 5,362,654 | 4,770,824 | 5,348,006 | 4,319,526 | 3,018,302 | 2,876,421 | 2,318,841 |
| | 15,197,377 | 16,716,671 | 14,386,666 | 15,651,138 | 12,782,506 | 11,233,484 | 7,236,570 | 9,171,424 |

NOTE.—The monthly figures of imports and exports are subject to alterations, consequently their total does not agree with the figures in Table No. 9.

No. 11.—Imports Oversea into New South Wales during the years ended 30th June 1928 and 1929, and during the June Quarters, 1928 and 1929.

| Article Imported. | | Year ended 30th June. | | | | Quarter ended 30th June. | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|------------|-----------|-----------|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|--------|
| | | 1928. | | 1929. | | 1928. | | 1929. | |
| | | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. |
| | | | £ | | £ | | £ | | £ |
| Ale, Beer, and Porter ... gal. | 154,254 | 53,896 | 142,047 | 56,112 | 36,030 | 12,115 | 32,170 | 12,383 | |
| Apparel and Attire | ... | 730,494 | ... | 702,568 | ... | 118,743 | ... | 143,805 | |
| Socks and Stockings | ... | 610,658 | ... | 566,055 | ... | 112,248 | ... | 110,098 | |
| Bags and Sacks— | | | | | | | | | |
| Bran, Chaff, and Fodder doz. | 435,645 | 182,974 | 424,224 | 191,329 | 108,946 | 43,361 | 91,674 | 42,833 | |
| Corn and Flour | 923,887 | 368,307 | 1,434,060 | 743,523 | 59,395 | 30,186 | 73,775 | 40,390 | |
| Woolpacks | 169,990 | 385,577 | 128,853 | 299,767 | 40,081 | 95,161 | 27,696 | 65,390 | |
| Bags, Baskets, Purses, etc. ... | ... | 194,884 | ... | 175,408 | ... | 28,219 | ... | 24,450 | |
| Blankets, Blanketing, and Flannels... | ... | 58,574 | ... | 43,038 | ... | 12,161 | ... | 8,634 | |
| Books (printed), etc. | ... | 622,755 | ... | 580,932 | ... | 145,762 | ... | 127,456 | |
| Boots and Shoes | ... | 224,830 | ... | 203,439 | ... | 32,924 | ... | 33,313 | |
| Brushware | ... | 230,314 | ... | 187,515 | ... | 45,116 | ... | 40,393 | |
| Clocks and Watches | ... | 363,780 | ... | 303,608 | ... | 64,222 | ... | 64,622 | |
| Cocoa and Chocolate ... lb. | 5,509,955 | 271,745 | 6,365,850 | 275,318 | 2,054,292 | 88,859 | 2,239,645 | 82,011 | |
| Confectionery, n.e.i. | 491,747 | 30,116 | 573,153 | 38,440 | 110,052 | 6,165 | 164,533 | 10,731 | |
| Copper Pipes, etc. ... cwt. | 5,980 | 30,122 | 6,014 | 33,124 | 1,434 | 8,005 | 995 | 6,880 | |
| Copra | 611,167 | 701,013 | 576,414 | 651,683 | 161,894 | 188,111 | 152,028 | 171,219 | |
| Cosies, Cushions, Counterpanes, | | | | | | | | | |
| Quilts, Table Covers, etc. ... | ... | 311,455 | ... | 250,319 | ... | 47,704 | ... | 41,396 | |
| Cream of Tartar ... lb. | 2,083,346 | 96,512 | 874,745 | 41,092 | 523,283 | 25,016 | 117,720 | 5,476 | |
| Cutlery, Spoons, and Forks, n.e.i. | ... | 224,802 | ... | 275,882 | ... | 57,291 | ... | 72,471 | |
| Dyes | ... | 54,109 | ... | 45,084 | ... | 7,819 | ... | 14,641 | |
| Earthenware, etc. | ... | 139,580 | ... | 150,106 | ... | 27,007 | ... | 28,692 | |
| Fancy Goods | ... | 394,166 | ... | 405,395 | ... | 65,513 | ... | 64,427 | |
| Fish—Preserved in tins, etc. lb. | 9,962,796 | 514,292 | 12,256,391 | 568,693 | 947,381 | 55,218 | 2,109,462 | 99,076 | |
| Floor Coverings— | | | | | | | | | |
| Carpets and Carpeting, etc. ... | ... | 630,805 | ... | 613,201 | ... | 144,772 | ... | 144,521 | |
| Linoleums, Oilcloths, etc. ... | ... | 488,304 | ... | 425,914 | ... | 95,990 | ... | 104,881 | |
| Furniture | ... | 174,065 | ... | 152,106 | ... | 33,030 | ... | 32,561 | |
| Glass and Glassware | ... | 536,537 | ... | 530,745 | ... | 98,618 | ... | 125,577 | |
| Gloves | ... | 211,948 | ... | 205,687 | ... | 42,382 | ... | 43,613 | |
| Gold—Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet, | | | | | | | | | |
| and Matte oz. | 127,048 | 347,070 | 90,388 | 200,580 | 26,618 | 72,761 | 21,701 | 42,561 | |
| Grain and Pulse— | | | | | | | | | |
| Maize cntl. | 54,241 | 20,884 | 209 | 129 | 5 | 16 | 12 | 25 | |
| Oats | 157,083 | 66,752 | 14,046 | 7,004 | 802 | 756 | 141 | 93 | |
| Rice | 99,011 | 72,931 | 64,100 | 51,217 | 71,015 | 46,024 | 29,546 | 20,804 | |
| Gums and Resins ... cwt. | 84,564 | 204,941 | 85,218 | 154,957 | 19,785 | 54,501 | 26,093 | 54,278 | |
| Hats, and Caps | ... | 412,978 | ... | 404,485 | ... | 50,830 | ... | 112,070 | |
| Iron and Steel— | | | | | | | | | |
| Bar, Rod, Angle, Tee... cwt. | 523,948 | 335,526 | 333,894 | 282,937 | 86,508 | 59,774 | 74,302 | 67,251 | |
| Structural Girders, etc. ... | 506,229 | 228,607 | 279,817 | 120,152 | 95,087 | 46,426 | 78,482 | 33,354 | |
| Pig | 23,635 | 5,612 | 16,286 | 3,579 | 2,393 | 711 | 2,628 | 666 | |
| Plate and Sheet—Galvanised | 443,312 | 485,067 | 324,104 | 318,975 | 66,956 | 55,236 | 75,799 | 75,827 | |
| Other | 1,196,018 | 946,171 | 1,153,618 | 988,886 | 251,284 | 196,225 | 272,453 | 226,398 | |
| Jewellery and Precious Stones... | ... | 490,515 | ... | 464,042 | ... | 85,219 | ... | 131,006 | |
| Kapok lb. | 4,360,630 | 227,305 | 1,444,556 | 206,530 | 1,009,825 | 54,111 | 1,113,081 | 47,385 | |
| Kinematograph Films | ... | 226,407 | ... | 229,002 | ... | 54,529 | ... | 62,703 | |
| Lamps and Lampware | ... | 185,156 | ... | 236,934 | ... | 47,409 | ... | 66,180 | |
| Leather | ... | 109,945 | ... | 85,588 | ... | 30,451 | ... | 23,393 | |
| Linseed cntl. | 329,667 | 290,443 | 395,513 | 343,068 | 71,624 | 64,553 | 116,340 | 94,173 | |
| Machinery and Implements— | | | | | | | | | |
| Agricultural | ... | 197,896 | ... | 199,424 | ... | 22,866 | ... | 24,471 | |
| Electrical— | | | | | | | | | |
| Cable and Wire, covered, 2wt. | 206,713 | 1,075,664 | 178,484 | 752,208 | 45,377 | 284,593 | 57,309 | 251,811 | |
| Other | ... | 2,580,082 | ... | 2,526,947 | ... | 749,475 | ... | 642,601 | |
| Engines | ... | 692,884 | ... | 595,605 | ... | 157,434 | ... | 136,921 | |
| Mining | ... | 87,397 | ... | 69,482 | ... | 15,676 | ... | 25,821 | |
| Motive-power | ... | 101,169 | ... | 130,713 | ... | 24,617 | ... | 29,02 | |
| Sewing | ... | 242,779 | ... | 186,199 | ... | 53,762 | ... | 56,71 | |
| Other | ... | 2,503,287 | ... | 1,999,784 | ... | 603,827 | ... | 606,99 | |
| Matches and Vestas, gross boxes | 247,330 | 39,094 | 406,387 | 63,469 | 50,258 | 8,031 | 150,600 | 22,8 | |
| Medicines (Proprietary)... .. | ... | 192,427 | ... | 193,327 | ... | 49,817 | ... | 57,081 | |

No. 11.—Imports Oversea into New South Wales during the years ended 30th June, 1928 and 1929, and during the June Quarters, 1928 and 1929—*continued.*

| Article Imported. | Year ended 30th June. | | | | Quarter ended 30th June. | | | |
|--|-----------------------|------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | 1928. | | 1929. | | 1928. | | 1929. | |
| | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. |
| | | £ | | £ | | £ | | £ |
| Metal Manufactures, other than Machinery— | | | | | | | | |
| Pipes, Tubes, and Fittings ... | ... | 602,245 | ... | 683,284 | ... | 159,455 | ... | 213,206 |
| Wire ... | ... | 139,503 | ... | 117,144 | ... | 37,955 | ... | 30,960 |
| Wire-netting ... | ... | 3,136 | ... | 4,059 | ... | 606 | ... | 2,275 |
| Miscellaneous ... | ... | 1,490,478 | ... | 1,290,122 | ... | 325,690 | ... | 328,321 |
| Musical Instruments— | | | | | | | | |
| Pianos ... | No. 5,044 | 316,155 | 2,004 | 158,345 | 700 | 44,932 | 518 | 36,810 |
| Parts ... | ... | 45,735 | ... | 54,123 | ... | 10,956 | ... | 13,619 |
| Oils— | | | | | | | | |
| Petroleum and Shale Spirit, Benzine, etc. ... gal. | 63,916,047 | 2,389,299 | 72,200,716 | 2,697,168 | 17,537,258 | 592,437 | 20,378,440 | 769,253 |
| Kerosene ... | 9,663,263 | 299,129 | 9,286,423 | 299,222 | 3,857,984 | 114,325 | 3,025,444 | 96,502 |
| Lubricating (Mineral) ... | 5,172,659 | 388,631 | 6,484,644 | 518,825 | 1,419,066 | 109,975 | 2,184,015 | 208,185 |
| Residual ... | 2,408,760 | 35,949 | 66,923 | 9,752 | 4,068 | 558 | 47,040 | 1,927 |
| Paints and Colours (ground in liquid) ... | 5,468 | 15,062 | 4,452 | 10,048 | 906 | 2,970 | 882 | 2,147 |
| Paper—Printing ... | ... | 1,434,535 | ... | 1,440,864 | ... | 338,516 | ... | 392,793 |
| Writing, and Typewriting (plain) etc. | ... | 247,841 | ... | 269,618 | ... | 49,674 | ... | 70,191 |
| Wrapping ... | ... | 178,942 | ... | 150,098 | ... | 23,667 | ... | 48,703 |
| Piece Goods— | | | | | | | | |
| Canvas and Duck ... | ... | 316,567 | ... | 260,931 | ... | 69,207 | ... | 55,593 |
| Cotton ... | ... | 3,110,677 | ... | 2,666,198 | ... | 514,581 | ... | 656,098 |
| Linen, n.e.i. ... | ... | 165,754 | ... | 155,072 | ... | 32,361 | ... | 27,449 |
| Hessians, Brattice Cloth, and other Jute ... | ... | 297,488 | ... | 299,940 | ... | 74,438 | ... | 79,928 |
| Silk, etc. ... | ... | 2,603,966 | ... | 2,583,998 | ... | 431,936 | ... | 521,459 |
| Velvets, Velveteens, etc. ... | ... | 185,065 | ... | 280,047 | ... | 33,390 | ... | 54,316 |
| Woollens ... | ... | 949,253 | ... | 496,673 | ... | 109,305 | ... | 72,489 |
| Other ... | ... | 891,173 | ... | 872,015 | ... | 189,927 | ... | 223,941 |
| Rubber Manufactures ... | ... | 978,374 | ... | 575,821 | ... | 194,995 | ... | 150,874 |
| Sewing and other Cottons, Threads, etc. | ... | 381,124 | ... | 314,052 | ... | 83,768 | ... | 77,860 |
| Silver—Bar, Ingot, Sheet, Matte oz. Specie— | 10,391 | 1,190 | 8,799 | 2,420 | 5,000 | 543 | 3,893 | 1,900 |
| Gold ... | ... | 429,506 | ... | 502 | ... | 400,000 | ... | 125 |
| Silver ... | ... | 22,071 | ... | 8,749 | ... | 3,020 | ... | ... |
| Spirits (Beverages)— | | | | | | | | |
| Brandy ... gal. | 28,259 | 56,268 | 28,612 | 56,621 | 8,270 | 16,335 | 9,536 | 18,755 |
| Gin ... | 152,898 | 105,237 | 135,870 | 105,109 | 31,690 | 24,925 | 36,483 | 26,234 |
| Rum ... | 29,036 | 18,434 | 29,862 | 17,243 | 7,522 | 5,020 | 4,652 | 2,334 |
| Whisky ... | 640,220 | 622,499 | 650,133 | 744,358 | 154,551 | 149,281 | 151,072 | 172,718 |
| Other ... | 23,463 | 18,915 | 21,107 | 18,929 | 5,590 | 4,666 | 5,698 | 4,626 |
| Stationery ... | ... | 241,195 | ... | 244,480 | ... | 42,120 | ... | 47,724 |
| Sugar (the produce of Cane) cwt. | 28 | 40 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... |
| Talking Machines, etc. ... | ... | 180,121 | ... | 206,444 | ... | 50,830 | ... | 54,226 |
| Tea ... lb. | 25,813,496 | 2,046,024 | 28,732,712 | 2,114,514 | 6,305,224 | 477,430 | 7,501,786 | 550,625 |
| Timber—Dressed, n.e.i. sup. ft. | 21,981,766 | 277,528 | 16,819,960 | 211,552 | 2,447,008 | 31,235 | 5,101,310 | 61,135 |
| Logs, not sawn, and Spars ... | 3,891,165 | 26,822 | 7,843,827 | 50,684 | 915,703 | 6,356 | 2,487,663 | 16,381 |
| Undressed, n.e.i. ... | 208,458,974 | 2,067,940 | 127,604,447 | 1,405,610 | 15,437,397 | 257,121 | 31,295,024 | 346,981 |
| Tobacco—Manufactured lb. | 967,676 | 121,696 | 895,550 | 121,554 | 294,357 | 35,937 | 245,223 | 33,176 |
| Unmanufactured ... | 16,451,685 | 1,563,323 | 16,414,786 | 1,504,049 | 5,090,306 | 491,825 | 3,364,598 | 339,988 |
| Cigars ... | 70,302 | 83,649 | 52,965 | 55,922 | 13,042 | 14,611 | 8,763 | 9,030 |
| Cigarettes ... | 400,064 | 207,527 | 438,424 | 223,285 | 103,332 | 52,048 | 99,708 | 54,845 |
| Tools of Trade ... | ... | 439,945 | ... | 424,137 | ... | 89,034 | ... | 97,234 |
| Trimings and Ornaments ... | ... | 338,679 | ... | 300,605 | ... | 75,010 | ... | 84,273 |
| Vehicles—Bicycles, etc., and parts ... | ... | 424,306 | ... | 474,240 | ... | 107,155 | ... | 98,591 |
| Motor Bodies ... | No. 4,936 | 584,401 | 6,882 | 610,461 | 1,174 | 129,888 | 1,650 | 178,440 |
| Motor Chassis ... | 25,120 | 2,666,262 | 39,200 | 3,390,356 | 6,381 | 585,185 | 9,809 | 919,946 |
| Other Vehicles and parts ... | ... | 603,536 | ... | 780,330 | ... | 134,721 | ... | 190,914 |
| Wines—Sparkling ... gal. | 9,511 | 18,783 | 8,305 | 21,119 | 2,399 | 6,430 | 1,091 | 2,992 |
| Still ... | 24,152 | 15,214 | 22,096 | 13,634 | 5,874 | 3,718 | 4,268 | 2,645 |
| Yarns ... | ... | 685,290 | ... | 942,339 | ... | 181,788 | ... | 224,531 |
| All other Articles ... | ... | 12,527,572 | ... | 13,445,670 | ... | 2,844,270 | ... | 3,303,128 |
| Total ... | £ | 65,072,266 | ... | 63,311,737 | ... | 14,386,666 | ... | 15,654,258 |

No. 12.—Exports Oversea from New South Wales during the years ended 30th June, 1928 and 1929, and during the June Quarters, 1928 and 1929.

| Article Exported. | | Year ended 30th June. | | | | Quarter ended 30th June. | | | |
|--|--|-----------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|--------------------------|---------|-----------|---------|
| | | 1928. | | 1929. | | 1928. | | 1929. | |
| | | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. |
| | | | £ | | £ | | £ | | £ |
| Ale, Beer, and Porter ... gal. | | 155,916 | 34,965 | 139,401 | 30,948 | 41,403 | 9,275 | 35,674 | 7,801 |
| Animals, Living— | | | | | | | | | |
| Horses No. | | 803 | 62,287 | 687 | 57,593 | 107 | 7,458 | 71 | 23,671 |
| Other Animals | | ... | 23,701 | ... | 45,974 | ... | 7,916 | ... | 6,629 |
| Apparel and Attire | | ... | 71,525 | ... | 63,061 | ... | 10,402 | ... | 15,645 |
| Biscuits lb. | | 2,375,470 | 81,732 | 2,663,335 | 90,942 | 585,314 | 20,450 | 718,119 | 25,141 |
| Bones, Horns and Hoofs | | ... | 15,373 | ... | 15,240 | ... | 3,407 | ... | 3,632 |
| Books (Printed), etc. | | ... | 50,975 | ... | 59,590 | ... | 10,285 | ... | 15,537 |
| Boots and Shoes | | ... | 15,373 | ... | 14,090 | ... | 3,192 | ... | 3,621 |
| Butter lb. | | 20,820,334 | 1,392,797 | 15,776,840 | 1,158,200 | 5,091,528 | 340,592 | 3,259,458 | 232,771 |
| Cheese | | 74,376 | 4,098 | 109,809 | 6,176 | 22,382 | 1,154 | 35,421 | 1,975 |
| Coal ton | | 546,075 | 680,939 | 311,608 | 390,007 | 108,868 | 137,497 | 45,221 | 58,054 |
| Coke | | 33,781 | 65,173 | 17,762 | 34,500 | 2,532 | 4,800 | 3,314 | 6,347 |
| Concentrates— | | | | | | | | | |
| Silver and Silver-Lead cwt. | | 4,252 | 6,013 | 4,620 | 3,673 | 1,356 | 1,564 | 1,531 | 1,210 |
| Other | | ... | 6,966 | ... | 1,237 | ... | 4,331 | ... | ... |
| Confectionery lb. | | 1,708,189 | 146,165 | 737,861 | 73,593 | 511,532 | 46,183 | 116,705 | 14,213 |
| Copper cwt. | | 47,157 | 157,930 | 57,904 | 225,029 | 19,259 | 65,236 | 12,854 | 60,733 |
| Drugs and Chemicals, Other | | ... | 55,333 | ... | 40,784 | ... | 14,861 | ... | 10,519 |
| Eggs doz. | | 447,996 | 34,600 | 858,795 | 66,893 | 2,411 | 328 | 2,610 | 350 |
| Fertilizers— | | | | | | | | | |
| Ammonium Sulphate ... cwt. | | 63,611 | 37,870 | 17,449 | 10,612 | 16,412 | 9,074 | ... | ... |
| Bonedust, Superphosphates, etc. | | 9,309 | 4,823 | 30,531 | 15,149 | 277 | 147 | 4,540 | 1,825 |
| Fruits, Dried— | | | | | | | | | |
| Currants lb. | | 204,064 | 5,099 | 131,062 | 2,735 | 92,420 | 2,377 | 78,140 | 1,597 |
| Raisins | | 25,432 | 642 | 1,232,610 | 31,501 | 2,524 | 83 | 1,204,752 | 30,743 |
| Fruits, Fresh— | | | | | | | | | |
| Apples cntl. | | 21,345 | 23,453 | 8,209 | 11,260 | 12,085 | 13,563 | 2,516 | 4,111 |
| Citrus (Lemons and Oranges) .. | | 26,393 | 30,464 | 63,218 | 60,804 | 2,241 | 2,377 | 4,048 | 5,977 |
| Fruits and Vegetables (Preserved) | | ... | 43,181 | ... | 40,989 | ... | 36,940 | ... | 25,859 |
| Furniture | | ... | 29,013 | ... | 10,843 | ... | 10,231 | ... | 7,092 |
| Glue Pieces and Sinews ... cwt. | | 6,595 | 12,129 | 3,605 | 13,986 | 597 | 2,380 | 1,075 | 3,522 |
| Gold—Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet and Matte ... oz. | | 139,982 | 550,224 | 14,593 | 28,102 | 268 | 1,101 | 7,133 | 13,871 |
| Grain and Pulse— | | | | | | | | | |
| Maize cntl. | | 13,806 | 6,289 | 12,474 | 5,337 | 10,161 | 4,529 | 201 | 146 |
| Oats | | 1,466 | 818 | 1,497 | 874 | 331 | 201 | 99 | 58 |
| Wheat | | 2,971,449 | 1,444,290 | 11,361,821 | 4,609,141 | 905,095 | 445,949 | 1,679,951 | 657,294 |
| Bran, Pollard, and Sharps .. | | 116,690 | 56,139 | 193,896 | 81,092 | 43,181 | 19,141 | 62,679 | 24,468 |
| Flour (Wheaten) | | 2,015,840 | 1,285,299 | 3,654,001 | 1,992,130 | 560,288 | 356,810 | 944,827 | 498,355 |
| Hair lb. | | 119,701 | 9,075 | 43,847 | 4,804 | 21,654 | 3,982 | 16,069 | 1,632 |
| Hats, Caps, and Bonnets | | ... | 14,088 | ... | 14,585 | ... | 2,894 | ... | 4,664 |
| Hay and Chaff cwt. | | 2,893 | 1,360 | 5,003 | 1,849 | 787 | 347 | 731 | 342 |
| Iron and Steel | | 124,196 | 73,318 | 109,095 | 52,022 | 37,203 | 17,966 | 24,077 | 12,164 |
| Jams and Jellies lb. | | 308,391 | 9,731 | 274,058 | 8,332 | 120,489 | 3,779 | 75,895 | 2,252 |
| Jewellery | | ... | 7,088 | ... | 18,041 | ... | 3,106 | ... | 14,429 |
| Precious Stones, Pearls, etc. ... | | ... | 12,516 | ... | 82,362 | ... | 1,025 | ... | 4,542 |
| Lard lb. | | 230,671 | 7,756 | 244,404 | 9,258 | 46,999 | 1,851 | 66,484 | 2,282 |
| Lead— | | | | | | | | | |
| Contained in Matte ... cwt. | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Pig | | 1,494,684 | 1,637,207 | 995,531 | 1,208,192 | 273,182 | 280,056 | 194,009 | 232,474 |
| Sheet and Piping | | 21,839 | 32,380 | 10,616 | 16,144 | 4,679 | 7,293 | 2,755 | 4,387 |
| Leather | | ... | 347,269 | ... | 331,566 | ... | 82,880 | ... | 68,884 |
| Leather Manufactures, n.e.i. ... | | ... | 10,669 | ... | 11,516 | ... | 3,415 | ... | 3,418 |

No. 12.—Exports Oversea from New South Wales during the years ended 30th June, 1928 and 1929, and during the June Quarters, 1928 and 1929—continued.

| Article Exported. | Years ended 30th June. | | | | Quarter ended 30th June. | | | |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------|------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| | 1928. | | 1929. | | 1928. | | 1929. | |
| | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. |
| Meats—Bacon and Hams lb. | 601,763 | £ 55,361 | 449,339 | £ 37,482 | 49,059 | £ 3,671 | 44,189 | £ 3,217 |
| Preserved by cold process— | | | | | | | | |
| Beef | 3,523,981 | 64,188 | 7,072,661 | 140,285 | 677,847 | 13,289 | 1,176,843 | 24,399 |
| Mutton | 179,065 | 136,888 | 252,318 | 265,959 | 12,725 | 15,711 | 25,266 | 25,646 |
| Lamb | 7,887,037 | 273,857 | 12,832,235 | 296,819 | 539,074 | 18,127 | 1,240,515 | 36,921 |
| Rabbits and Hares ... | 368,922 | 273,857 | 296,819 | 296,205 | 16,693 | 18,127 | 34,545 | 36,921 |
| Potted or Concentrated ... | 9,783,792 | 262,759 | 9,811,112 | 193,525 | 580,370 | 27,174 | 1,149,690 | 17,782 |
| Preserved in tins, etc. ... | pr. 2,884,026 | 33,107 | 1,956,508 | 22,248 | 250,470 | 6,933 | 212,373 | 2,713 |
| Medicines | ... | 93,308 | 2,534,832 | 82,928 | ... | 20,505 | ... | 17,505 |
| Metal Manufactures other than | ... | 100,876 | ... | 107,708 | ... | 26,373 | ... | 31,424 |
| Machinery | ... | 370,381 | ... | 437,637 | ... | 110,031 | ... | 168,354 |
| Milk and Cream | ... | 14,270 | ... | 12,543 | ... | 3,746 | ... | 3,046 |
| Oils—Cocoonut ... gal. | 30,478 | 5,972 | 31,518 | 5,949 | 8,315 | 1,715 | 612 | 202 |
| Eucalyptus | 10,940 | 8,128 | 18,170 | 11,855 | 3,931 | 2,598 | 2,586 | 1,604 |
| Onions | 19,404 | 11,953 | 34,892 | 22,787 | 8,480 | 6,516 | 12,417 | 9,386 |
| Ores— | | | | | | | | |
| Gold (quartz & concentrates) " | 718 | 864 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Silver and Silver-Lead " | 44,409 | 43,525 | 24,332 | 18,498 | 13,093 | 13,311 | 2,177 | 2,131 |
| Other | ... | 8,768 | ... | 9,928 | ... | 770 | ... | 6,354 |
| Paints and Colours | ... | 38,232 | ... | 50,240 | ... | 11,784 | ... | 13,645 |
| Potatoes | 24,848 | 11,373 | 36,429 | 18,181 | 10,986 | 4,916 | 7,604 | 5,923 |
| Rubber Manufactures ... | ... | 57,393 | ... | 66,183 | ... | 20,819 | ... | 30,576 |
| Sausage Casings | ... | 194,741 | ... | 137,852 | ... | 27,743 | ... | 31,584 |
| Seeds | ... | 60,259 | ... | 85,721 | ... | 25,566 | ... | 44,587 |
| Silver—Bar, ingot, sheet and | | | | | | | | |
| Matte. oz. | 37,216 | 4,430 | 26,505 | 3,074 | 4,228 | 558 | 2,639 | 333 |
| Skins and Hides—Cattle No. | 675,525 | 871,572 | 618,276 | 699,715 | 120,775 | 196,201 | 101,935 | 115,546 |
| Kangaroo | 1,089,635 | 177,533 | 954,152 | 164,630 | 197,778 | 24,486 | 170,924 | 24,951 |
| Opossum | 70,433 | 104,999 | 18,188 | 21,663 | 443 | 468 | 119 | 193 |
| Rabbit and Hare | 9,316,863 | 1,886,523 | 8,225,868 | 1,950,027 | 2,527,949 | 508,896 | 2,124,866 | 439,091 |
| Sheep, with Wool ... | 3,170,630 | 1,311,511 | 3,176,168 | 1,343,559 | 582,419 | 252,382 | 733,831 | 253,114 |
| Sheep, without Wool | 23,219,288 | 2,212,121 | 25,076,932 | 2,301,616 | 4,193,280 | 2,951 | 5,533,800 | 5,366 |
| Other | 622,812 | 183,383 | 697,300 | 138,552 | 101,134 | 15,619 | 172,428 | 27,310 |
| Soap—Toilet, Fancy, and Medicated lb. | 584,264 | 38,099 | 451,534 | 17,567 | 174,015 | 5,509 | 65,907 | 3,686 |
| Other | 2,638,113 | 38,605 | 3,651,091 | 50,321 | 728,838 | 10,451 | 1,196,695 | 10,695 |
| Specie—Gold | ... | 1,494,352 | ... | 148,994 | ... | ... | ... | 12,000 |
| Silver | ... | 24,717 | ... | 22,661 | ... | 5,252 | ... | 8,859 |
| Stationery and Paper ... | ... | 89,486 | ... | 80,087 | ... | 20,005 | ... | 24,673 |
| Sugar (the produce of Cane) cwt. | 41,484 | 51,064 | 23,848 | 29,588 | 8,996 | 10,932 | 6,244 | 7,717 |
| Tallow, unrefined | 284,240 | 457,829 | 300,422 | 541,255 | 55,419 | 97,934 | 51,047 | 93,167 |
| Timber— | | | | | | | | |
| Dressed—Other super. ft. | 843,312 | 18,970 | 552,891 | 12,128 | 216,445 | 4,450 | 153,891 | 3,551 |
| Logs, not sawn and spars " | 6,700,841 | 105,166 | 4,142,326 | 65,092 | 1,524,259 | 25,007 | 1,196,202 | 18,618 |
| Undressed—Other | 10,598,275 | 91,894 | 11,030,835 | 200,231 | 2,585,565 | 43,332 | 2,887,089 | 54,424 |
| Tin Ingots | 26,270 | 340,419 | 21,099 | 232,468 | 6,668 | 77,221 | 3,432 | 35,830 |
| Tobacco—Manufactured lb. | 1,146,152 | 209,154 | 1,501,207 | 281,615 | 294,196 | 54,129 | 376,788 | 73,652 |
| Cigarettes | 53,836 | 299,901 | 46,410 | 249,923 | 12,401 | 6,688 | 11,805 | 6,129 |
| Wines—Sparkling ... gal. | 1,752 | 3,679 | 1,538 | 3,104 | 344 | 664 | 363 | 775 |
| Still (bottled) | 41,593 | 29,241 | 19,107 | 9,930 | 8,494 | 6,070 | 3,700 | 1,796 |
| " (bulk) | 140,937 | 29,103 | 64,777 | 30,442 | 18,283 | 3,843 | 8,220 | 5,547 |
| Wood Manufactures | ... | 37,068 | ... | 47,887 | ... | 8,677 | ... | 9,543 |
| Wool—Greasy | 1,934,750 | 26,892,422 | 1,098,185 | 25,221,533 | 64,374 | 1,638,869 | 206,597 | 4,252,174 |
| Scoured and Washed | 314,747,186 | 77,588 | 349,542,021 | 2,055,854 | 20,014,622 | 584,675 | 62,739,280 | 392,572 |
| Wool Tops | 104,290 | 46 | 77,588 | 501 | 19,049 | 55,438 | 17,217 | 23,031 |
| Wool Tops | 24,592,623 | 339,175 | 18,741,799 | 238,711 | 4,489,144 | 116,926 | 4,105,649 | 669,755 |
| All other Articles | 3,408 | ... | 469,187 | ... | 501 | ... | 236 | ... |
| ... | 1,638,546 | 3,376,536 | ... | 2,755,146 | ... | 1,206,137 | ... | ... |
| Total | £ | 51,882,929 | ... | 49,362,395 | ... | 7,236,570 | ... | 9,171,424 |

No. 13.—Principal Articles Imported at Sydney during June Quarter, 1929.

(Compiled from returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

| Article Imported | Oversea.* | | Interstate.† | | | State. | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| | Weight. | Measure- ment. | Weight. | Measure- ment. | Value. | Weight. | Measure- ment. |
| | | | | | £ | | |
| Agricultural Implements tons | 123 | 460 | 185 | 429 | 18,335 | ... | 22 |
| Ale, Beer, and Stout ... | ... | 417 | ... | 273 | 6,238 | ... | 17 |
| Bacon and Ham ... | ... | 27 | ... | 832 | 57,448 | ... | 1,536 |
| Boots, Shoes, etc. ... | ... | 339 | ... | 425 | 56,784 | ... | 7 |
| Bullion ... cwt. | 12½ | ... | 15 | ... | 2,200 | ... | ... |
| Butter ... tons | ... | 1 | ... | 547 | 78,600 | ... | 7,825 |
| Candles, Tapers, Night-lights, ... | ... | 24 | ... | 124 | 4,697 | ... | 74 |
| Cement ... | 252 | 20 | 2,760 | ... | 13,832 | 1,412 | ... |
| Chaff ... | ... | ... | 457 | ... | 2,835 | ... | ... |
| Cheese ... | ... | 78 | ... | 396 | 37,860 | ... | 1,037 |
| Coal ... | ... | ... | 30 | ... | 50 | 50,273 | ... |
| „ (bunker) ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 79,805 | ... |
| Confectionery ... | ... | 242 | ... | 2,600 | 177,684 | ... | 14 |
| Cordage, rope, twine, etc. ... | ... | 254 | ... | 310 | 18,245 | ... | 2 |
| Drapery ... | 16 | 12,768 | ... | 3,222 | 523,864 | ... | 185 |
| Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals ... | 715 | 2,925 | 220 | 743 | 82,086 | 9 | 42 |
| Earthenware ... | ... | 1,999 | ... | 175 | 2,702 | ... | 12 |
| Eggs (in shell) ... | ... | ... | ... | 161 | 5,898 | ... | 159 |
| Fish, fresh and frozen ... | ... | 219 | ... | ... | ... | 1,649 | 354 |
| Oysters ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 200 |
| Flour ... | ... | 4 | 1,207 | ... | 17,525 | 29 | ... |
| Furniture ... | ... | 897 | ... | 105 | 3,157 | ... | 32 |
| Glass and Glassware ... | 1,629 | 5,001 | ... | 816 | 12,987 | 1 | 251 |
| Grain—Maize ... | ... | ... | 140 | ... | 1,390 | 1,365 | ... |
| Oats ... | 7 | ... | 1,213 | ... | 12,893 | ... | ... |
| Wheat ... | 4 | ... | 24 | ... | 267 | ... | ... |
| Hardware ... | 8,423 | 4,157 | 1,436 | 989 | 118,669 | 518 | 139 |
| Hay ... | 77 | ... | 120 | ... | 1,084 | 388 | ... |
| Hides and Skins ... | 155 | 942 | 4 | 713 | 46,421 | ... | 855 |
| Iron—Galvanized ... | 1,943 | 20 | 35 | ... | 861 | 2 | ... |
| Pig ... | 50 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 44 | ... |
| Jams and Jellies ... | ... | 34 | ... | 2,368 | 88,836 | ... | 7 |
| Leatherware ... | 1 | 195 | ... | 483 | 106,602 | ... | 44 |
| Machines and Machinery ... | 998 | 9,393 | 550 | 1,926 | 170,325 | 143 | 171 |
| Matches & Match-making Materials ... | ... | 1,197 | ... | 549 | 28,000 | ... | ... |
| Milk & Cream, preserved ... | ... | 38 | ... | 1,710 | 106,384 | ... | 386 |
| Molasses and Syrup ... | 1,512 | ... | 209 | ... | 813 | 2,526 | ... |
| Oilmen's Stores ... | 28 | 1,463 | 269 | 1,188 | 82,831 | 7 | 236 |
| Onions ... | 1,251 | 1 | 1,890 | ... | 19,416 | ... | ... |
| Potatoes ... | ... | ... | 18,027 | ... | 262,696 | 31 | ... |
| Saddlery ... | 5 | 27 | ... | 5 | 516 | ... | 2 |
| Soap ... | 2 | 96 | 105 | 280 | 14,813 | ... | 54 |
| Specie ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Spirits—Brandy ... | ... | 129 | ... | 120 | 21,186 | ... | ... |
| Gin ... | ... | 151 | ... | 353 | 26,182 | ... | 1 |
| Rum ... | ... | 43 | ... | 583 | 88,771 | ... | 1 |
| Whisky ... | ... | 1,264 | ... | 340 | 29,034 | ... | 1 |
| Sugar ... | ... | ... | 110 | ... | 2,846 | ... | ... |
| Tea ... | ... | 8,623 | ... | 202 | 12,672 | ... | 6 |
| Tobacco, Cigars, etc. ... | ... | 5,136 | ... | 342 | 104,789 | ... | 2 |
| Vegetables, fresh ... | 67 | 1 | 2,475 | 192 | 32,993 | 130 | ... |
| Waters, Cordials, etc. ... | ... | 123 | ... | 53 | 966 | ... | 7 |
| Wines ... | ... | 102 | ... | 1,770 | 81,506 | ... | 13 |
| Woodenware ... | 1 | 925 | ... | 493 | 11,900 | ... | 60 |
| Woollens ... | ... | 310 | ... | 1,470 | 223,947 | ... | 1 |
| All other Articles ... | 164,382 | 167,570 | 38,383 | 62,994 | 2,507,721 | 41,857 | 21,110 |
| Total ... tons | 181,641 | 227,616 | 69,849 | 90,281 | £5,329,669 | 179,187 | 34,867 |
| Animals—Horses ... No. | ... | 49 | 40 | ... | 3,765 | ... | 39 |
| Horned Cattle ... | ... | 15 | 8 | ... | 150 | 1,547 | ... |
| Calves ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 624 | ... |
| Sheep ... | ... | 169 | 291 | ... | 525 | ... | ... |
| Pigs ... | ... | 6 | 3 | ... | 30 | 8,938 | ... |
| Bananas ... cases | ... | 131 | 8,372 | ... | 8,938 | 6,730 | ... |
| Fruit, fresh ... | ... | 2,169 | 586,621 | ... | 288,855 | 36,130 | ... |
| Melons, Pumpkins, Squashes ... No. | ... | 13,056 | 267,856 | ... | 11,433 | 25,852 | ... |
| Timber—Rough & Sawn, sup. ft. | 45,893,418 | ... | 1,545,555 | ... | 34,768 | 8,712,974 | ... |
| Wool—Bales and Butts ... No. | ... | 327 | 6,160 | ... | 131,788 | 490 | ... |
| Bags ... | ... | 22 | 53 | ... | 260 | 738 | ... |

* The total value of all OVERSEA IMPORTS at Sydney, during June quarter, 1929, was £15,141,071.

† The total value of all INTERSTATE IMPORTS at Sydney in June quarter, 1929, was £5,810,181.

No. 14.—Principal Articles Manufactured in New South Wales during the years ended 30th June, 1927 and 1928.

| Article Manufactured. | | Quantity. | | Value. | |
|--|--------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|
| | | 1927. | 1928. | 1927. | 1928. |
| Aerated Waters, Cordials, etc. | ... doz. | 6,845,653 | 6,480,513 | £ 978,277 | £ 931,623 |
| Ale, Beer, and Stout | ... gals. | 27,372,435 | 28,130,066 | 2,964,969 | 3,083,499 |
| Apparel and Attire— | | | | | |
| Clothing—Slop | | ... | ... | 2,933,350 | 2,943,406 |
| " Tailoring | | ... | ... | 1,744,771 | 1,697,206 |
| " Other (Underclothing, White work, etc., Shirts, Ties, etc., Waterproof Clothing) | | ... | ... | 2,199,851 | 2,280,146 |
| Dressmaking and Millinery | | ... | ... | 1,195,195 | 1,100,177 |
| Other Knitted Garments | ... No. | 5,173,460 | 5,738,152 | 794,603 | 905,020 |
| Socks and Stockings | ... doz. pairs | 737,437 | 767,214 | 1,118,057 | 1,010,584 |
| Bacon and Ham | ... lb. | 23,275,890 | 24,523,873 | 1,203,387 | 1,213,130 |
| Biscuits | | 44,780,830 | 43,161,976 | 1,410,577 | 1,441,716 |
| Blankets and Flannel | | ... | ... | 216,737 | 226,304 |
| Boots and Shoes | ... pairs | 3,974,458 | 4,794,048 | 2,367,798 | 2,541,813 |
| Bricks—Building | ... No. | 430,064,879 | 439,669,889 | 1,600,237 | 1,642,475 |
| Brooms and Brushware | | ... | ... | 269,949 | 244,941 |
| Butter | ... lb. | 91,727,225 | 96,706,842 | 7,091,724 | 7,273,229 |
| Candles | | 3,623,633 | 3,200,942 | 131,638 | 119,502 |
| Chemicals, Drugs, etc. | | ... | ... | 2,555,798 | 2,550,357 |
| Cheese | ... lb. | 6,628,000 | 7,080,992 | 289,912 | 303,621 |
| Coke | ... tons. | 1,086,604 | 1,013,389 | 1,604,966 | 1,508,030 |
| Confectionery | | ... | ... | 2,917,925 | 3,094,656 |
| Electric Light and Power | ... units. | 798,916,739 | 918,194,210 | 4,261,600 | 4,762,974 |
| Flour | ... tons. | 431,532 | 400,363 | 5,671,070 | 4,895,024 |
| Furniture, incl. Seagrass, Wicker, & Bamboo | | ... | ... | 2,610,095 | 2,584,344 |
| Gas | ... 1,000 cub. ft. | 10,279,605 | 10,700,870 | 2,113,511 | 2,208,011 |
| Gelatine | ... cwt. | 21,053 | 20,860 | 172,132 | 171,162 |
| Hats and Caps | ... No. | 3,054,180 | 2,859,432 | 998,758 | 950,647 |
| Ice | ... tons. | 212,340 | 214,328 | 427,116 | 438,889 |
| Iron and Steel | | 360,212 | 350,941 | * | * |
| Jams and Preserves | ... lb. | 30,871,948 | 33,042,170 | 835,308 | 782,153 |
| Leather | | 21,099,047 | 18,435,774 | 1,499,503 | 1,551,283 |
| Manures | ... cwt. | 407,505 | 391,828 | 172,700 | 164,900 |
| Margarine | ... lb. | 16,014,623 | 16,376,131 | 522,104 | 526,346 |
| Meat—Preserved in Tins | | 6,673,406 | 3,919,866 | 217,238 | 167,815 |
| Metal Works, Machinery, etc.— | | | | | |
| Agricultural Implements | | ... | ... | 458,606 | 391,263 |
| Brass and Copper | | ... | ... | 1,660,771 | 1,541,645 |
| Engineering | | ... | ... | 4,945,680 | 4,890,444 |
| Ironworks and Foundries | | ... | ... | 11,779,843 | 11,416,364 |
| Metal Extraction and Ore Reduction | | ... | ... | 11,379,429 | 10,011,114 |
| Wirework (including Nails) | | ... | ... | 3,298,893 | 3,089,390 |
| Musical Instruments | | ... | ... | 1,112,830 | 997,435 |
| Paints, Colours, and Varnishes | | ... | ... | 1,673,810 | 1,654,715 |
| Papermaking, Paper Boxes, etc. | | ... | ... | 2,043,495 | 2,232,679 |
| Pickles and Sauces | ... pints. | 8,984,043 | 10,073,346 | 456,249 | 477,741 |
| Printing, Binding, and Newspapers | | ... | ... | 6,365,903 | 6,616,250 |
| Rubber Manufactures and Repair Work | | ... | ... | 2,020,230 | 2,555,107 |
| Self-raising Flour | ... lb. | 24,351,460 | 28,562,889 | 274,661 | 323,038 |
| Soup | ... cwt. | 457,995 | 460,482 | 1,072,434 | 1,059,784 |
| Soap Extracts, Powders, etc. | ... lb. | 5,147,752 | 5,187,589 | 67,544 | 77,837 |
| Sugar (the Produce of Cane) | ... cwt. | 532,080 | 466,980 | 665,289 | 532,451 |
| Timber (Native)— | | | | | |
| Softwood | ... sup. ft. | 54,685,447 | 48,716,239 | 740,747 | 635,741 |
| Hardwood | | 108,205,939 | 97,858,784 | 1,342,692 | 1,171,107 |
| Tobacco, Cigars, etc.— | | | | | |
| Tobacco | ... lb. | 9,435,084 | 9,478,476 | 2,942,959 | 2,944,900 |
| Cigars | | 96,286 | 96,007 | 106,752 | 102,344 |
| Cigarettes | | 5,104,458 | 5,192,901 | 1,754,832 | 1,748,625 |
| Tweed and Cloth | ... yards. | 2,378,555 | 2,686,341 | 999,565 | 1,098,641 |
| Vehicles and Repairing— | | | | | |
| Motor Car Bodies | | ... | ... | 944,143 | 914,543 |
| Bicycles and Motor Cycles | | ... | ... | 190,029 | 176,381 |
| Coaches and Waggon | | ... | ... | 397,455 | 315,716 |
| Wool, Scoured | ... lb. | 30,021,122 | 24,672,168 | 3,371,345 | 3,318,819 |
| Other Manufactured Goods | | ... | ... | 62,145,404 | 65,794,027 |

No. 15.—Shipping entered—Port of Sydney.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

| Year ended 30th June. | Description of Vessels. | Number of Vessels. | | | Net Tonnage. | | |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------|--------|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| | | Oversea and Interstate. | State. | Total. | Oversea and Interstate. | State. | Total. |
| 1928. | Steam ... | 2,330 | 5,184 | 7,520 | 7,006,095 | 1,567,503 | 8,573,598 |
| | Motor ... | 188 | 40 | 228 | 531,800 | 21,000 | 602,800 |
| | Sailing ... | 15 | 37 | 52 | 12,388 | 23,509 | 35,897 |
| 1929. | Steam ... | 2,282 | 4,472 | 6,754 | 6,965,204 | 1,317,053 | 8,282,257 |
| | Motor ... | 210 | 92 | 302 | 735,136 | 35,892 | 771,028 |
| | Sailing ... | 6 | .. | 6 | 6,868 | .. | 6,868 |
| June Quarter, | Steam ... | 563 | 947 | 1,510 | 1,670,217 | 259,303 | 1,929,520 |
| | Motor ... | 57 | 25 | 82 | 186,792 | 9,741 | 196,533 |
| | Sailing ... | 2 | .. | 2 | 2,188 | .. | 2,188 |
| 1929. June Quarter, | Steam ... | 510 | 1,142 | 1,652 | 1,473,749 | 370,185 | 1,843,934 |
| | Motor ... | 35 | 13 | 48 | 95,036 | 6,825 | 101,861 |
| | Sailing ... | 1 | .. | 1 | 286 | .. | 286 |

NOTE.—“Oversea and Interstate” shipping includes the trips and tonnages of vessels which proceed to Newcastle for bunker coal, and return to Sydney, but which do not then report at the Customs.

No. 16.—Shipping—entered and cleared all Ports of New South Wales.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Customs Department. “Oversea” and “Interstate” shipping only.)

| Year ended 30th June. | Description of Vessels. | Entered. | | Cleared. | |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|----------|-------------------|----------|-------------------|
| | | Vessels. | Tonnage (Net). | Vessels. | Tonnage (Net). |
| 1928. | Steam ... | 3,015 | 8,579,502 | 3,109 | 8,547,726 |
| | Motor ... | 167 | 485,786 | 149 | 467,692 |
| | Sailing ... | 30 | 23,400 | 27 | 19,488 |
| | Total ... | 3,212 | 9,088,697 | 3,285 | 9,034,906 |
| 1929. | Steam ... | 2,683 | 7,915,654 | 2,623 | 7,765,324 |
| | Motor ... | 167 | 585,686 | 149 | 534,593 |
| | Sailing ... | 16 | 9,587 | 20 | 17,105 |
| | Total ... | 2,866 | 8,510,927 | 2,792 | 8,308,022 |
| June Quarter, | Steam ... | 587 | 1,777,624 | 541 | 1,685,939 |
| | Motor ... | 51 | 171,680 | 44 | 136,675 |
| | Sailing ... | 3 | 1,161 | 3 | 1,243 |
| | Total ... | 641 | 1,950,465 | 588 | 1,822,957 |
| 1929. June Quarter, | Steam ... | 630 | 1,738,875 | 654 | 1,802,955 |
| | Motor ... | 31 | 75,876 | 29 | 95,843 |
| | Sailing ... | 2 | 576 | 1 | 1,436 |
| | Total ... | 663 | 1,815,327 | 684 | 1,900,234 |

Shipping—Quarter ended 30th June, 1929.—The shipping entered from beyond the State at each port was as follows:—Sydney—vessels 534, tons 1,704,439; Newcastle—vessels 61, tons 131,561; Port Stephens—vessels 1, tons 933; Grafton—vessels 1, tons 933; Bellambi—vessels 1, tons 906; Port Kembla—vessels 42, tons 111,186; Coff's Harbour—vessels 1, tons 507. Total—vessels 641, tons 1,950,465.

No. 17.—Shipping—Oversea and Interstate—Tonnage of Cargo Discharged and Shipped at all Ports of New South Wales.

| Period. | Tonnage of Cargo discharged. | | | | Tonnage of Cargo shipped. | | | |
|-----------------|------------------------------|------------|-----------------|---------|---------------------------|------------|-----------------|-----------|
| | Sydney. | Newcastle. | Other Ports. | Total. | Sydney. | Newcastle. | Other Ports. | Total. |
| 1928—Apr.—June— | tons. | tons. | tons. | tons. | tons. | tons. | tons. | tons. |
| Oversea ... | 483,128 | 25,573 | 8,354 | 517,055 | 185,587 | 108,316 | 10,735 | 304,638 |
| Interstate ... | 206,400 | 124,639 | 6,331 | 337,370 | 152,898 | 504,867 | 38,933 | 696,698 |
| Total ... | 689,528 | 150,212 | 14,685 | 854,425 | 338,485 | 613,183 | 49,668 | 1,001,336 |
| 1928—July—Sep.— | | | | | | | | |
| Oversea ... | 482,956 | 32,459 | 13,160 | 528,575 | 167,967 | 91,284 | 18,273 | 277,524 |
| Interstate ... | 258,997 | 167,485 | 23,266 | 449,748 | 140,440 | 512,400 | 34,678 | 687,518 |
| Total ... | 741,953 | 199,944 | 36,426 | 978,323 | 308,407 | 603,684 | 52,951 | 965,042 |
| 1928—Oct.—Dec.— | | | | | | | | |
| Oversea ... | 532,706 | 30,658 | 10,650 | 583,014 | 350,675 | 108,316 | 10,735 | 469,726 |

* Not available.

| | | | | | |
|-------------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|--|
| 179,302,446 | 181,403,084 | ... | ... | ... | Total Value of Goods Manufactured and other Work Done... |
|-------------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|--|

No. 18.—Consolidated Revenue State—Years 1927-8 and 1928-9.

| Head of Revenue.* | Year. | | Increase or Decrease (-) |
|---|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| | 1927-28. | 1928-29. | |
| Governmental— | £ | £ | £ |
| Contributions by Commonwealth under States Grants Act | 2,978,343 | 2,856,479 | (—)121,864 |
| Taxation (by State) | 10,928,802 | 12,043,961 | 1,115,159 |
| Land Revenue | 2,190,953 | 1,319,222 | (—)870,831 |
| Receipts for Services Rendered | 1,404,461 | 1,584,376 | 179,915 |
| Miscellaneous Receipts | 1,777,289 | 2,093,494 | 316,205 |
| Gross Total | 19,278,948 | 19,897,532 | 618,584 |
| Refunds | 268,755 | 312,972 | 44,217 |
| Net Total (Governmental) | 19,010,193 | 19,584,560 | 574,367 |
| Special Purposes (Revenue) Fund— | | | |
| Sale of Crown Lands | † | 691,651 | 691,651 |
| Royalties on Minerals | † | 169,141 | 169,141 |
| Royalties, etc., on Timber | † | 101,869 | 101,869 |
| Sales of Property | † | 15,663 | 15,663 |
| Balances Transferred | † | 170,062 | 170,062 |
| Other Receipts | † | 4,940 | 4,940 |
| Net Total | † | 1,153,326 | 1,153,326 |
| Miscellaneous Receipts Unclassified | 42,599 | | (—)42,599 |
| Grand Total* | £ 19,052,792 | 20,737,886 | 1,685,094 |

*Based on form of accounts as re-modelled, 1928-29, Business Undertaking being excluded.

†Included above.

No. 19.—State Expenditure—Years 1927-8 and 1928-9.

| Head of Expenditure. | Year. | | Increase or Decrease (-) |
|----------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| | 1927-28. | 1928-29. | |
| | £ | £ | £ |
| Governmental | 15,501,724 | 16,767,068 | 1,265,344 |
| Interest | 3,774,872 | 3,377,649 | (—)397,223 |
| Total | £ 19,276,596 | 20,144,717 | 868,121 |

No. 20.—Public Debt and Expenditure from Loans, 1918-28.

| Year ended 30th June. | Public Debt at end of Year. | | Net Expenditure from Loans during Year. | | | | | Total Interest Payable. |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|---|--|---|---------------------------|------------|-------------------------|
| | Total (in thousands 000 omitted). | Per Head of Population. | Railways and Tramways. | Water Supply and Sewerage (including Water Conservation and Irrigation). | Harbours and Rivers (including Docks, Resumptions, etc.). | Other Works and Services. | Total. | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| £ | £ s. d. | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | |
| 1918 | 152,585 | 78 10 11 | 2,412,108 | 1,187,812 | 455,861 | 411,730 | 4,487,511 | 6,077,912 |
| 1919 | 147,174 | 73 13 7 | 1,543,857 | 1,027,708 | 297,304 | 1,050,018 | 3,918,887 | 6,037,196 |
| 1920 | 152,776 | 73 16 10 | 2,589,955 | 2,041,122 | 444,908 | 3,718,920 | 8,794,905 | 6,563,940 |
| 1921 | 164,336 | 78 2 5 | 4,025,038 | 2,854,495 | 659,863 | 7,161,632 | 14,701,028 | 7,273,902 |
| 1922 | 176,674 | 82 3 9 | 4,789,517 | 2,744,691 | 676,642 | 2,231,882 | 10,442,732 | 8,118,430 |
| 1923 | 183,571 | 83 15 8 | 4,669,285 | 2,850,639 | 451,279 | 1,822,816 | 9,794,019 | 8,535,650 |
| 1924 | *194,075 | 87 2 2 | 3,652,814 | 2,790,223 | 379,524 | 912,919 | 7,735,480 | 9,976,809 |
| 1925 | 201,702 | 88 14 4 | 4,674,092 | 2,462,722 | 615,793 | 1,423,079 | 9,715,686 | 9,835,863 |
| 1926 | 209,793 | 90 9 1 | 6,335,943 | 1,959,255 | 575,556 | 2,309,728 | 11,180,482 | 10,327,519 |
| 1927 | †227,724 | 95 16 11 | 6,380,610 | 1,105,618 | 486,755 | 2,449,287 | 10,422,270 | 11,215,341 |
| 1928 | 245,248 | 101 3 0 | 8,335,802 | 1,710,702 | 556,011 | 3,805,104 | 14,407,619 | 12,122,008 |

NOTE.—Redemptions of Loans are not included in the Expenditure.

PUBLIC DEBT, 1928.—The amount of the public debt floated in London was £154,144,504, in Sydney £76,951,178, and New York £14,152,225. The amount of interest payable in London was £7,409,782; in Sydney, £4,024,393; in New York, £687,833. The proportion of Public Debt on each Register was: London, 62·85; Sydney, 31·38; New York, 5·77. The average nominal rate of interest payable on the Debt was 4·94 per cent.

The debt shown is exclusive of Closer Settlement Debentures, which amounted to £2,223,050 at 30th June, 1928.

* Excluding £16,419,003 raised for renewal of loans which fell due in October, 1924.

† Excluding £10,885,149, proceeds of conversion loans outstanding, but not credited to loan account.

No. 21.—Revenue and Expenditure of New South Wales, 1923-28.

| Classification. | 1922-23. | 1923-24. | 1924-25. | 1925-26. | 1926-27. | 1927-28. |
|--|--------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|
| REVENUE. | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Governmental:— | | | | | | |
| Commonwealth per capita payment | £ 2,690,198 | 2,738,725 | 2,796,928 | 2,853,850 | 2,917,411 | 2,978,343 |
| Taxation—State | £ 7,799,118 | 7,988,131 | †8,115,151 | †8,850,877 | †11,930,050 | †10,725,257 |
| Land—Alienation | 1,025,294 | 1,016,545 | 1,061,412 | 1,077,381 | 1,043,388 | 1,102,858 |
| Revenue | 888,939 | 913,158 | 984,756 | 1,049,038 | 1,166,889 | 1,173,464 |
| | £ 1,914,233 | 1,929,793 | 2,046,168 | 2,126,419 | 2,210,277 | 2,276,322 |
| Services (other than Business Undertakings) | £ 984,403 | 1,068,886 | 1,247,549 | 1,265,654 | 1,340,554 | 1,399,083 |
| Miscellaneous Receipts | 932,981 | 1,080,532 | 1,059,794 | 1,147,250 | 1,383,512 | 1,507,116 |
| Industrial Undertakings | 10,362 | 7,655 | 7,792 | 5,657 | 6,195 | 5,322 |
| Total Governmental ... | £ 14,331,295 | 14,813,632 | 15,273,382 | 16,249,707 | 19,796,999 | 18,891,443 |
| Business Undertakings:— | | | | | | |
| Railways and Tramways | 19,083,302 | 19,508,486 | 20,624,793 | 20,985,362 | 22,980,486 | 23,894,940 |
| Sydney Harbour Trust | 852,242 | 897,357 | 970,402 | 1,015,877 | 1,083,856 | 1,078,293 |
| Metropolitan Board of W. S. and S. | 1,666,633 | 1,857,718 | 1,694,313 | | | |
| Hunter District Board of W. S. and S. | 159,627 | 199,350 | 216,752 | 222,218 | 245,776 | 294,206 |
| Total Business Undertakings | £ 21,761,804 | 22,462,911 | 23,506,260 | 22,233,457 | 24,310,118 | 25,267,539 |
| Other Receipts (Advances Repaid, etc.) | 52,845 | 75,266 | 42,946 | 56,867 | 42,449 | 39,990 |
| Total Consolidated Revenue Fund | £ 36,145,944 | 37,351,809 | 38,822,588 | 38,540,031 | 44,149,566 | 44,198,972 |
| Motor Tax and Motor Licenses | | | 560,467 | 897,664 | 644,278 | 1,330,399 |
| Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Board | | | 165,993 | 2,131,471 | 2,266,909 | 2,468,001 |
| Grand Total ... | £ 36,145,944 | 37,351,809 | 39,549,048 | 41,569,166 | 47,060,753 | 47,997,372 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | |
| Governmental:— | | | | | | |
| Interest on Public Debt and Special Deposits | 1,827,102 | 2,239,395 | 3,338,368 | 2,977,517 | 3,100,335 | 3,774,872 |
| Reduction of Public Debt | | | | 15,394 | 37,149 | 1,968 |
| Transfer to Public Works Fund ... | 347,961 | 351,927 | 363,528 | 364,470 | 376,628 | 390,047 |
| Departments— | | | | | | |
| Premier | 65,196 | 84,733 | 84,596 | 73,658 | 122,370 | 136,747 |
| Chief Secretary and Public Health (including Lunacy) | 2,548,423 | 2,726,866 | 2,735,871 | 2,967,648 | 3,046,290 | 3,395,244 |
| Treasurer (ex Business Undertakings, & Interest on Deposits, etc.) | 948,370 | 1,050,216 | 1,152,633 | 1,038,134 | 1,044,481 | 1,103,556 |
| Attorney-General and Justice ... | 646,419 | 639,301 | 676,832 | 709,565 | 748,121 | 652,142 |
| Lands | 575,932 | 569,296 | 560,862 | 542,744 | 545,924 | 467,770 |
| Public Works (ex Business Undertakings) | 637,282 | 718,095 | 708,025 | 724,365 | 803,280 | 787,277 |
| Public Instruction (ex Endowments, etc.) | 3,941,290 | 4,000,324 | 4,212,158 | 4,364,431 | 4,607,571 | 4,846,451 |
| Labour and Industry | 99,998 | 107,831 | 111,574 | 110,571 | 389,165 | 140,229 |
| Mines | 78,154 | 91,107 | 94,206 | 112,904 | 105,525 | 182,626 |
| Agriculture | 461,739 | 497,967 | 562,221 | 586,983 | 587,728 | 601,280 |
| Local Government— | | | | | | |
| Administration, etc. | 43,941 | 42,538 | 44,690 | 47,884 | 56,392 | 62,044 |
| Endowments and Grants | 302,086 | 306,514 | 286,851 | 274,886 | 157,778 | 372,725 |
| All other Services | 765,666 | 1,182,067 | 1,694,322 | 1,470,319 | 1,795,340 | 2,131,910 |
| Total, Governmental ... | £ 13,289,553 | 14,608,177 | 16,626,737 | 16,381,473 | 17,524,077 | 19,046,888 |
| Business Undertakings, including Interest on Capital:— | | | | | | |
| Railways and Tramways | 18,787,004 | 19,435,742 | 20,447,734 | 22,200,838 | 23,855,608 | 25,038,963 |
| Water Supply and Sewerage | 1,745,672 | 1,841,883 | 1,469,861 | 175,704 | 202,881 | 224,709 |
| Sydney Harbour Trust | 726,080 | 757,233 | 756,799 | 794,106 | 824,885 | 875,058 |
| Total, Business Undertakings | £ 21,258,765 | 22,034,858 | 22,674,394 | 23,170,648 | 24,883,374 | 26,138,730 |
| Grants to Public Works Fund ... | 200,000 | 200,000 | 200,000 | 200,000 | 225,000 | 60,000 |
| Other Payments (Advances made, etc.) | 594,118 | 408,384 | 77,907 | 62,214 | 58,183 | 48,350 |
| Total Consolidated Revenue Fund | £ 35,342,436 | 37,251,419 | 39,579,038 | 39,814,335 | 42,690,634 | 45,293,968 |
| Metropolitan Water Board—Working Expenses | | | *197,278 | *908,401 | *946,504 | *1,033,396 |
| Interest on Capital† | | | | †1,200,000 | †1,200,000 | †1,200,000 |
| Motor Taxes paid to Main Roads Board | | | 560,467 | 897,664 | 644,278 | 1,330,399 |
| Grand Total ... | £ 35,342,436 | 37,251,419 | 40,336,783 | 42,820,400 | 45,481,416 | 48,857,763 |

* Including Sinking Fund and Renewals.

† See also Motor Tax and Motor Licenses below.

‡ Exclusive of interest paid to Consolidated Revenue Account, £49,847 in 1925-26, £211,107 in 1926-27, and £393,803 in 1927-28.

No. 22.—Transactions on Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1923-28.

| | 1922-23. | 1923-24. | 1924-25. | 1925-26. | 1926-27. | 1927-28. |
|--|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Balance brought forward £ | Dr. 3,578,263 | Dr. 2,774,755 | Dr. 2,674,365 | Dr. 3,430,815 | Dr. 4,705,119 | Dr. 3,246,187 |
| Revenue Proper ... | 36,093,999 | 37,276,544 | 38,779,642 | 38,483,164 | 44,107,117 | 44,158,982 |
| Advances Repaid ... | 52,845 | 75,265 | 42,946 | 56,867 | 42,449 | 39,990 |
| (A) Total Receipts for year ... £ | 36,145,944 | 37,351,809 | 38,822,588 | 38,540,031 | 44,149,566 | 44,198,972 |
| Expenditure Proper ... | 34,200,358 | 36,291,109 | 38,937,603 | 9,187,650 | 41,993,674 | 44,793,602 |
| Payments to Sinking Fund | | | | | 37,149 | 1,968 |
| Advances — Treasurer's Account, Loan Votes, etc. | 594,117 | 408,383 | 77,907 | 62,215 | 58,183 | 48,351 |
| Public Works Fund — Statutory payment of $\frac{2}{3}$ of Proceeds of Sale of Crown lands, less 20 per cent. ... | 347,961 | 351,927 | 363,528 | 364,470 | 376,628 | 390,047 |
| Payments in aid ... | 200,000 | 200,000 | 200,000 | 200,000 | 225,000 | 60,000 |
| (B) Total Disbursements during year £ | 35,342,436 | 37,251,419 | 39,579,038 | *39,814,335 | *42,690,634 | *45,293,968 |
| Surplus on Transactions of year=(A)-(B) ... £ | 803,508 | 100,390 | (-) 756,450 | (-) 1,274,304 | 1,458,932 | (-) 1,094,996 |
| Accumulated Deficiency £ | 2,774,755 | 2,674,365 | 3,430,815 | 4,705,119 | 3,246,187 | 4,341,183 |

* Exclusive of Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Board

(-) Denotes deficiency.

No. 23.—Revenue per head Collected by the State, 1918-28.

(Consolidated Revenue Fund.)

| Year ended 30th June. | Governmental. | | | | | Business Undertakings. | | | | | Total Revenue. |
|-----------------------|---------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------------|---------|------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------|----------|----------------|
| | Taxation. | Returned by Commonwealth | Land Revenue. | Other Revenue. | Total. | Railways and Tramways. | Water and Sewerage. | Sydney Harbour Trust. | Total. | | |
| | * | | | | | | | | | | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | |
| 1918 | 2 0 2 | 1 4 1 | 0 19 0 | 11 3 | 4 14 6 | 5 12 6 | 11 0 | 6 0 | 6 9 6 | 11 4 0 | |
| 1919 | 2 1 7 | 1 4 3 | 0 18 6 | 11 5 | 4 15 9 | 6 3 11 | 12 6 | 5 4 | 7 2 9 | 11 18 6 | |
| 1920 | 2 8 8 | 1 4 3 | 0 18 10 | 13 1 | 5 4 10 | 7 16 11 | 12 10 | 6 6 | 8 16 3 | 14 1 1 | |
| 1921 | 3 10 9 | 1 4 3 | 1 0 7 | 14 3 | 6 9 10 | 8 12 8 | 15 6 | 7 7 | 9 15 9 | 16 5 7 | |
| 1922 | 3 8 2 | 1 4 9 | 0 18 10 | 18 11 | 6 10 8 | 8 19 11 | 16 7 | 7 9 | 10 4 3 | 16 14 11 | |
| 1923 | 3 11 9 | 1 4 9 | 0 17 8 | 18 3 | 6 12 5 | 8 15 8 | 16 9 | 7 10 | 10 0 3 | 16 12 8 | |
| 1924 | 3 12 4 | 1 4 9 | 0 17 6 | 20 2 | 6 14 9 | 8 16 6 | 18 7 | 8 2 | 10 3 3 | 16 18 0 | |
| 1925 | 3 12 0 | 1 4 10 | 0 18 2 | 21 0 | 6 16 0 | 9 3 1 | 16 11 | 8 7 | 10 8 7 | 17 4 7 | |
| 1926 | 3 17 0 | 1 4 10 | 0 18 6 | 21 7 | 7 1 11 | 9 2 8 | 2 0 | 8 10 | 9 13 6 | 16 15 5 | |
| 1927 | 5 1 8 | 1 4 10 | 0 18 10 | 23 8 | 8 9 0 | 9 15 9 | 2 1 | 9 3 | 10 7 1 | 18 16 1 | |
| 1928 | 4 9 4 | 1 4 10 | 0 18 11 | 24 7 | 7 17 8 | 9 19 1 | 2 5 | 9 0 | 10 10 6 | 18 8 2 | |

* In 192 Motor Tax and Traffic Licenses were transferred to Special Deposits Account, Main Roads Account.

No. 24.—Expenditure per head by the State, 1918-28.

(Consolidated Revenue Fund.)

| Year ended 30th June. | Governmental. | | | | Business Undertakings. | | | | Total Expenditure. |
|-----------------------|---|-----------------------------|-----------------|---------|-------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|
| | Public Instruction, excluding Endowments. | Interest and Sinking Funds. | Other Services. | Total. | Railways and Tramways.* | Water and Sewerage.* | Sydney Harbour Trust. | Total | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1918 | 1 1 4 | 0 11 5 | 3 0 8 | 4 13 5 | 5 14 0 | 11 1 | 5 2 | 6 10 3 | 11 3 8 |
| 1919 | 1 3 1 | 0 9 11 | 3 0 10 | 4 13 10 | 6 5 9 | 11 6 | 5 2 | 7 2 5 | 11 16 3 |
| 1920 | 1 4 6 | 0 10 6 | 4 3 8 | 5 18 8 | 7 18 6 | 13 5 | 5 9 | 8 17 8 | 14 16 4 |
| 1921 | 1 15 4 | 0 15 8 | 4 3 1 | 6 14 1 | 8 15 0 | 14 7 | 6 2 | 9 15 9 | 16 9 10 |
| 1922 | 1 18 4 | 0 15 1 | 4 10 4 | 7 3 9 | 9 1 2 | 15 10 | 6 8 | 10 3 8 | 17 7 5 |
| 1923 | 1 16 3 | 0 16 10 | 3 16 6 | 6 9 7 | 8 12 11 | 16 0 | 6 9 | 9 15 8 | 16 5 3 |
| 1924 | 1 16 3 | 1 0 3 | 4 1 2 | 6 17 8 | 8 15 11 | 16 8 | 6 10 | 9 19 5 | 16 17 1 |
| 1925 | 1 17 5 | 1 9 7 | 4 3 1 | 7 10 1 | 9 1 6 | 13 1 | 6 8 | 10 1 3 | 17 11 3 |
| 1926 | 1 18 10 | 1 6 0 | 4 0 0 | 7 4 10 | 9 13 3 | 1 6 | 6 11 | 10 1 8 | 17 6 6 |
| 1927 | 1 19 3 | 1 6 9 | 4 5 8 | 7 11 8 | 10 3 3 | 1 9 | 7 0 | 10 12 0 | 18 3 8 |
| 1928 | 2 0 5 | 1 11 5 | 4 7 9 | 7 19 7 | 10 8 7 | 1 11 | 7 3 | 10 17 9 | 18 17 4 |

* Includes payment of interest on capital expenditure.

NOTE.—See Table No. 21 for actual amounts received and expended.

No. 25.—Trading Banks—Liabilities in New South Wales.

NOTE.—Liabilities to Shareholders are not included.

| Quarter ended | Notes in Circulation. | Bills in Circulation. | Deposits. | | | Balances due to other Banks. | All other Liabilities. | Total Liabilities. |
|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|-------------|------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| | | | Not bearing Interest. | Bearing Interest. | Total. | | | |
| June. | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| 1920 | 73,266 | 960,586 | 52,878,126 | 50,495,134 | 103,373,260 | 1,601,687 | ... | 106,008,799 |
| 1921 | 71,654 | 979,076 | 53,044,965 | 54,631,451 | 107,676,416 | 2,682,336 | ... | 111,409,482 |
| 1922 | 68,953 | 969,186 | 52,276,678 | 54,086,297 | 106,362,975 | 1,541,923 | ... | 108,943,937 |
| 1923 | 67,556 | 1,046,579 | 54,005,932 | 62,163,919 | 116,169,851 | 1,050,955 | ... | 118,334,941 |
| 1924 | 66,580 | 1,103,220 | 53,655,365 | 58,164,886 | 111,820,251 | 1,328,516 | ... | 114,318,567 |
| 1925 | 65,724 | 1,200,787 | 55,771,102 | 65,139,919 | 120,911,021 | 2,587,518 | 336,296 | 125,139,547 |
| 1926 | 64,990 | 1,354,516 | 59,255,212 | 70,956,687 | 130,211,899 | 3,628,290 | 349,669 | 135,609,364 |
| 1927 | 64,681 | 1,331,637 | 56,468,226 | 76,067,917 | 132,536,143 | 3,479,900 | 313,934 | 137,725,395 |
| 1928 | 64,398 | 1,598,580 | 55,357,004 | 83,155,876 | 138,512,880 | 4,153,823 | 298,071 | 144,627,752 |
| 1929 | 64,115 | 1,746,319 | 56,285,642 | 178,040,307 | 134,323,949 | 4,807,230 | 292,315 | 141,233,928 |

* Includes Commonwealth Savings Bank deposits to 30th June, 1928, included under the returns of Savings Banks—Table No. 27. The amount so included on 30th September, 1927, was £10,492,524, and on 30th June, 1928, £10,434,395. Interest is not paid on the whole of these amounts.

† Commonwealth Bank Savings Bank deposits previously included are now excluded.

Note.—There are 16 Trading Banks in New South Wales, with 1,128 offices in the State.

No. 26.—Trading Banks—Assets in New South Wales.

| Quarter ended | Coin. | Bullion. | Australian Notes. | Landed and House Property. | Notes and Bills of other Banks. | Balances due from other Banks. | Government and Municipal Securities, Advances and all other Assets. | Total Assets. |
|---------------|------------|-----------|-------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|---------------|
| June. | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| 1920 | 10,111,791 | 340,735 | 13,032,195 | 2,477,601 | 892,521 | 3,354,448 | 89,063,144 | 119,272,435 |
| 1921 | 9,791,211 | 360,738 | 11,812,417 | 2,573,628 | 673,740 | 2,512,885 | 104,709,314 | 132,433,933 |
| 1922 | 10,282,955 | 335,043 | 10,176,664 | 2,620,237 | 792,442 | 2,832,745 | 98,335,071 | 125,375,157 |
| 1923 | 9,917,391 | 362,257 | 10,055,027 | 2,780,285 | 857,716 | 2,856,046 | 113,053,795 | 139,882,517 |
| 1924 | 11,321,692 | 389,420 | 12,111,578 | 2,960,935 | 887,317 | 4,117,438 | 112,873,479 | 144,660,950 |
| 1925 | 13,325,015 | 3,352,615 | 13,409,010 | 3,026,704 | 915,855 | 3,449,510 | 111,475,369 | 148,954,078 |
| 1926 | 16,336,946 | 74,851 | 14,362,800 | 3,112,343 | 984,258 | 2,939,786 | 123,950,187 | 161,761,171 |
| 1927 | 12,238,342 | 5,455 | 10,762,818 | 3,025,719 | 1,426,517 | 3,386,552 | 135,439,590 | 166,284,993 |
| 1928 | 12,126,723 | 5,425 | 10,374,870 | 2,987,197 | 1,394,478 | 3,362,486 | 140,690,523 | 170,941,702 |
| 1929 | 11,978,374 | 5,746 | 11,046,465 | 3,187,582 | 705,074 | 3,082,901 | 143,822,569 | 173,828,711 |

* Since December, 1924, includes coin with Commonwealth Bank.

Trading Banks' Exchange Settlement, Sydney.

| 1925. | | 1926. | | 1927. | | 1928. | |
|----------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|------------|
| Year ended 31st December . | | £909,114,483 | £954,253,166 | £1,034,894,890 | | £1,033,511,119 | |
| Month, 1927. | | £ | Month, 1928. | £ | Month, 1929. | £ | |
| July ... | 82,635,240 | January ... | 85,908,937 | July ... | 81,843,516 | January ... | 86,174,101 |
| August ... | 80,581,532 | February ... | 88,528,403 | August ... | 82,389,833 | February ... | 88,116,614 |
| September ... | 85,133,337 | March ... | 92,497,803 | September ... | 83,907,154 | March ... | 89,834,973 |
| October ... | 86,485,472 | April ... | 74,969,922 | October ... | 92,487,814 | April ... | 89,691,502 |
| November ... | 95,577,085 | May ... | 90,287,089 | November ... | 88,243,592 | May ... | 89,723,757 |
| December ... | 103,066,081 | June... .. | 82,494,943 | December ... | 89,952,111 | June ... | 84,766,913 |
| 533,478,687 | | 514,687,097 | | 518,824,020 | | 528,306,960 | |

No. 27.—Savings Banks in New South Wales.

| Year ended 30th June. | Accounts on 30th June. | Amount of Deposits on 30th June. | Increase in Deposits. | Amount Deposited on 30th June. | |
|-----------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| | | | | Per Account. | Per Inhabitant. |
| | No. | £ | £ | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1920 | 1,053,893 | 49,933,535 | 2,863,193 | 47 7 9 | 24 2 8 |
| 1921 | 1,126,157 | 57,394,441 | 7,460,906 | 50 19 4 | 27 5 8 |
| 1922 | 1,186,948 | 61,791,273 | 4,396,832 | 52 1 2 | 28 14 11 |
| 1923 | 1,246,191 | 64,324,669 | 2,533,396 | 51 12 4 | 29 7 2 |
| 1924 | 1,306,948 | 66,162,054 | 1,837,385 | 50 12 5 | 29 13 10 |
| 1925 | 1,374,976 | 69,114,126 | 2,952,072 | 50 5 4 | 30 8 3 |
| 1926 | 1,440,432 | 73,743,112 | 4,628,986 | 50 19 8 | 31 15 11 |
| 1927 | 1,528,287 | 78,250,745 | 4,507,633 | 51 4 0 | 32 19 9 |
| 1928 | 1,596,657 | 81,493,879 | 3,243,134 | 51 0 10 | 33 12 2 |
| *30th Sep., 1928 | 1,617,140 | 81,421,551 | (-) 72,328† | 50 7 0 | 33 7 8 |
| *31st Dec., 1928 | 1,632,179 | 81,804,053 | 382,502† | 50 2 2 | 33 8 7 |
| *31st Mar., 1929 | 1,652,576 | 82,012,984 | 208,931† | 49 12 7 | 33 7 1 |

Note.—The return is exclusive of the Federal Capital Territory (Canberra). Accounts and deposits in the School Savings Bank Department (Government Savings Bank of New South Wales) are excluded, particulars being as follows:—At 31st March, 1929, —Accounts, No. 102,212; Amount of Deposits, £142,733. At 31st March, 1929, the number of inoperative accounts included in respect of the State Savings Bank was 259,165.

* Information at end of quarter.

† Movement for 3 months.

(-) Denotes decrease.

No. 28.—Education.

| Year. | Public Schools. | | | | Private Schools. | | |
|-------|-----------------|-----------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|-----------|------------------------------------|
| | Schools. | Teachers. | Scholars (December Quarter). | Expenditure by State. | Schools. | Teachers. | Scholars (December Quarter). |
| | | | | £ | | | |
| 1919 | 3,124 | 9,002 | 288,931 | 2,270,249 | 678 | 3,844 | 74,936 |
| 1920 | 3,163 | 9,204 | 299,691 | 3,078,906 | 679 | 3,810 | 74,339 |
| 1921 | 3,216 | 9,594 | 315,228 | 3,557,040 | 677 | 4,069 | 78,460 |
| 1922 | 3,213 | 9,817 | 321,531 | 3,733,832 | 678 | 4,092 | 80,247 |
| 1923 | 3,243 | 10,066 | 328,248 | 3,838,711 | 681 | 4,181 | 80,723 |
| 1924 | 3,259 | 10,400 | 333,074 | 4,114,355 | 693 | 4,200 | 82,545 |
| 1925 | 3,216 | 10,777 | 336,810 | 4,197,933 | 696 | 4,243 | 82,188 |
| 1926 | 3,179 | 11,313 | 343,187 | 4,326,365 | 704 | 4,320 | 83,784 |
| 1927 | 3,142 | 11,550 | 352,310 | 4,470,634* | 719 | 4,559 | 86,086 |
| 1928 | 3,156 | 12,002 | 362,549 | 5,061,118* | 739 | 4,651 | 89,280 |

*Inclusive of Grants in aid of Public Institutions, Rates and Stores.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION.—The enrolment at Technica Colleges during the year 1928 was 32,960.

BUSINESS COLLEGES, ETC.—The enrolment at business colleges and shorthand schools in 1927 was 8,224.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.—Individual Students attending the University during 1928 numbered 2,382 (1,731 males, and 651 females).

No. 29.—State Railways of New South Wales.

| Year ended 30th June. | Miles open for traffic. | Capital Cost. | Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses. | Train Miles. | Net Earnings per train mile. | Passengers. |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|------------------|--|--------------|------------------------------------|-------------|
| | No. | £ | £ | No. | s. d. | No. |
| 1919 | 4,824 | 76,601,591 | 3,053,723 | 19,935,202 | 3 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 98,568,768 |
| 1920 | 5,015 | 79,318,917 | 3,512,803 | 22,834,889 | 3 1 | 114,654,660 |
| 1921 | 5,043 | 82,304,194 | 3,234,528 | 22,792,053 | 2 10 | 120,735,140 |
| 1922 | 5,116 | 85,552,871 | 4,096,717 | 21,887,065 | 3 9 | 121,298,861 |
| 1923 | 5,318 | 89,276,871 | 4,571,359 | 21,693,861 | 4 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 123,714,639 |
| 1924 | 5,523 | 93,355,167 | 4,699,086 | 21,582,779 | 4 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 128,101,184 |
| 1925 | 5,656 | 99,623,210 | 4,829,766 | 23,304,916 | 4 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 128,532,038 |
| 1926 | 5,742 | 105,237,668 | 4,419,039 | 24,624,995 | 3 7 | 130,725,581 |
| 1927 | 5,750 | 112,789,149 | 5,110,690 | 26,325,847 | 3 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 141,615,806 |
| 1928 | 5,867 | 117,984,374 | 4,273,185 | 26,896,580 | 3 2 | 148,046,881 |
| September Quarter, 1928 | 5,869 | *117,984,374 | 1,178,593 | 6,767,957 | 3 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 37,897,693 |
| December " 1928 | 5,898 | *117,984,374 | 1,124,979 | 7,092,940 | 3 2 | 38,105,018 |
| March " 1929 | 5,935 | *117,984,374 | 1,377,859 | 6,892,236 | 4 0 | 37,170,082 |
| March " 1928 | 5,868 | *112,789,149 | 1,287,205 | 6,680,989 | 3 10 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 36,589,696 |

*Figures for past year ended 30th June.

No. 30.—State Tramways of New South Wales.

| Year ended 30th June. | Miles open for traffic. | Capital Cost. | Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses. | Tram Mileage. | Net earnings per tram mile. | Passengers. |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|------------------|--|---------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| | No. | £ | £ | No. | s. d. | No. |
| 1919 | 225 | 8,568,138 | 386,977 | 24,674,306 | 0 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 268,797,814 |
| 1920 | 226 | 8,768,548 | 395,676 | 26,889,077 | 0 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 324,884,651 |
| 1921 | 227 | 9,060,757 | 528,486 | 28,654,172 | 0 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 337,689,873 |
| 1922 | 229 | 9,505,732 | 594,519 | 29,318,532 | 0 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 330,938,567 |
| 1923 | 225 | 9,975,931 | 505,808 | 30,971,022 | 0 4 | 331,001,822 |
| 1924 | 228 | 10,758,958 | 542,385 | 32,110,054 | 0 4 | 340,957,725 |
| 1925 | 229 | 11,131,454 | 444,410 | 33,761,796 | 0 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 339,576,770 |
| 1926 | 229 | 11,434,523 | 299,500 | 34,214,733 | 0 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 339,411,705 |
| 1927 | 210 | 11,586,050 | 318,264 | 34,188,015 | 0 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 347,231,141 |
| 1928 | 210 | 11,609,078 | 619,205 | 34,471,601 | 0 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 346,013,775 |
| September Quarter, 1928 | 209 $\frac{1}{2}$ | *11,609,078 | 176,016 | 8,521,821 | 0 5 | 83,475,627 |
| December " 1928 | 209 $\frac{1}{2}$ | *11,609,078 | 130,581 | 8,738,613 | 0 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 85,712,428 |
| March " 1929 | 210 | *11,609,078 | 226,430 | 8,456,392 | 0 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 84,316,736 |
| March " 1928 | 210 | *11,586,050 | 232,947 | 8,622,714 | 0 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 88,335,147 |

*Figures for past year ended 30th June.

No. 31.—Motor Vehicles.

| Registrations and Licenses. | In force at 31st December. | | | Registrations and Licenses. | In force at 31st December. | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|---------|---------|--|----------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| | 1921. | 1927. | 1928. | | 1921. | 1927. | 1928. |
| Registrations— | | | | Licenses (contd.)— | | | |
| Cars | 28,665 | 129,985 | 155,403 | Learner's permit ... | 10,757 | 59,429 | 70,456 |
| Lorries | 3,524 | 30,517 | 37,129 | Receipts (taxes, fees, and penalties)— | £ | £ | £ |
| Cycles | 11,291 | 28,054 | 30,882 | Motor Traffic Act ... | 51,712 | 313,216 | 374,942 |
| Taxi-Cabs | 407 | 997 | 1,173 | Motor Vehicles Taxation Act | 131,025 | 1,035,639 | 1,246,424 |
| Vans | 376 | 2,016 | 2,126 | Metropolitan Traffic Act | 4,834 | 9,175 | 9,621 |
| Omnibuses | 180 | 525 | 565 | Total | 187,571 | 1,358,030 | 1,630,987 |
| Licenses— | | | | | | | |
| Driver | 52,538 | 224,575 | 273,238 | | | | |
| Cycle Rider | 16,115 | 34,267 | 36,780 | | | | |
| Omnibus Conductors ... | 200 | 1,756 | 1,081 | | | | |

Registrations in force on 30th June, 1929:—Cars, 162,298; Lorries, 39,503; Vans, 2,186; Omnibuses, 583; Taxi cabs, 1,300; Cycles, 30,937. Licenses in force on 30th June, 1929: Riders—Cycle, 36,784. Drivers—Car, 281,216; Omnibus, 2,047; Taxi Cab, 1,997; Van, 2,622.

No. 32.—Posts, Telegraphs, and Telephones.

| Year ended 30th June. | Post Offices and Receiving Offices. | Letters, Letter Cards, Post Cards, and all Registered Articles except Parcels carried. | Newspapers carried. | Packets, Books, and Parcels carried. | Telegrams and Cablegrams transmitted. | Telephone Line Connections. |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|--|---------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1919 | 2,599 | 240,591,473 | 63,367,875 | 25,864,897 | 7,936,453 | 65,734 |
| 1920 | 2,593 | 256,062,161 | 61,407,862 | 22,993,171 | 9,044,098 | 70,700 |
| 1921 | 2,609 | 262,025,990 | 63,261,430 | 24,538,793 | 8,585,835 | 74,490 |
| 1922 | 2,588 | 240,088,479 | 66,381,106 | 24,951,225 | 8,115,582 | 80,262 |
| 1923 | 2,599 | 254,196,263 | 66,647,379 | 34,569,781 | 8,138,901 | 87,598 |
| 1924 | 2,643 | 270,314,915 | 71,799,747 | 51,735,560 | 8,608,127 | 97,310 |
| 1925 | 2,664 | 296,399,293 | 72,711,100 | 56,300,600 | *6,936,885 | 107,497 |
| 1926 | 2,679 | 318,832,176 | 73,802,200 | 65,101,000 | *7,351,845 | 117,249 |
| 1927 | 2,682 | 352,038,712 | 81,395,900 | 66,164,500 | *7,240,075 | 127,784 |
| 1928 | 2,683 | † | † | † | 7,090,157 | 137,602 |

* Exclusive of telegrams received from other States of the Commonwealth. † Not available pending an investigation by the Postmaster General.

No. 33.—Aircraft in New South Wales.

| Particulars. | Year ended 30th June. | | | | |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--------|--------|---------|---------|
| | 1924. | 1925. | 1926. | 1927. | 1928. |
| Aircraft owners registered ... | 9 | 4 | 4 | 9 | 14 |
| Aeroplanes | 9 | 5 | 6 | 10 | 18 |
| Staff employed—Pilots | 4 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 11 |
| Others | 1 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 11 |
| Flights—Number | 930 | 721 | 347 | 5,897 | 35,829 |
| Hours | 314 | 277 | 201 | 1,593 | 5,469 |
| Mileage (approximate) | 20,131 | 19,915 | 13,742 | 109,880 | 375,055 |
| Passengers carried | 1,403 | 1,073 | 411 | 5,337 | 20,995 |
| Goods carried | 525 lb. | | | 550 lb. | 645 lb. |

NOTE.—In New South Wales aerial mails are carried under a contract for a service between Adelaide, Coota-mundra, *via* Mildura, Hay, and Narrandera (578 miles), service once weekly in each direction; (a) Broken Hill—Mildura (189 miles), twice weekly; (b) Melbourne—Hay, *via* Echuca (233 miles), twice weekly.

No. 34.—Wireless Licenses Issued and Radio Traffic, New South Wales.

| Class of License. | Year ended 30th June. | | | Class of License. | Year ended 30th June. | | |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---|-----------------------|---------|---------|
| | 1926. | 1927. | 1928. | | 1926. | 1927. | 1928. |
| | No. | No. | No. | | £ | £ | £ |
| Coast | 1 | 1 | 1 | Total Fees received* | 49,070 | 82,145 | 109,705 |
| Ship | 32 | 32 | 24 | * The amount due to Revenue included in this amount in 1925–26 was £5,693, and in 1926–27 £9,415. | | | |
| Land | | 4 | 4 | | | | |
| Broadcasting | "A" 2, "B" 7 | "A" 2, "B" 7 | "A" 2, "B" 7 | | | | |
| Broadcast Listeners— | | | | | | | |
| Ordinary | 36,292 | 56,908 | 79,931 | | | | |
| Special | 9 | 46 | † | | | | |
| Temporary | 8 | 41 | † | | | | |
| Experimental— | | | | | | | |
| Transmitting and receiving ... | 124 | 134 | 140 | Coastal Radio Service— | No. | No. | No. |
| Receiving only ... | 185 | 149 | 126 | Paying messages | 23,538 | 33,696 | 36,613 |
| Dealers' Listening ... | 472 | 860 | | words.. | 288,288 | 420,794 | 683,783 |
| Portable | | 5 | 6 | Service messages | 566 | 427 | 1,441 |
| Special | | | 16 | words ... | | 4,131 | 15,938 |
| Total Licenses issued | 37,132 | 58,189 | 80,257 | Weather messages | 4,313 | 3,162 | 5,253 |
| | | | | words ... | | 60,801 | 105,565 |

† Grade discontinued.

No. 35.—Area under Crop.

| Season ended June | Wheat. (grain only). | Maize (grain only). | Oats. (grain only). | Sugar-cane Cut for Crushing. | Hay. | Vines. Wine-making. | Potatoes. | Total Area under Crop.* |
|-------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------|
| | acres. | acres. | acres. | acres. | acres. | acres. | acres. | acres. |
| 1918 | 3,329,371 | 145,754 | 82,591 | 5,588 | 620,644 | 3,839 | 22,580 | 4,460,701 |
| 1919 | 2,409,669 | 114,582 | 86,474 | 4,566 | 814,960 | 3,961 | 20,879 | 3,890,844 |
| 1920 | 1,474,174 | 136,509 | 76,117 | 4,827 | 938,400 | 4,233 | 20,043 | 3,770,155 |
| 1921 | 3,127,377 | 144,105 | 77,709 | 5,519 | 854,263 | 4,589 | 27,673 | 4,464,342 |
| 1922 | 3,194,949 | 146,687 | 69,795 | 5,400 | 750,928 | 4,818 | 29,404 | 4,445,848 |
| 1923 | 2,942,857 | 138,169 | 74,006 | 5,879 | 889,457 | 5,396 | 22,568 | 4,694,088 |
| 1924 | 2,945,335 | 166,974 | 86,693 | 6,733 | 1,023,717 | 6,548 | 21,879 | 4,808,046 |
| 1925 | 3,550,078 | 146,564 | 12,3517 | 7,761 | 763,287 | 6,958 | 23,403 | 4,911,148 |
| 1926 | 2,925,012 | 120,955 | 101,097 | 8,688 | 750,605 | 6,977 | 22,731 | 4,541,423 |
| 1927 | 3,352,736 | 128,516 | 105,115 | 10,128 | 625,616 | 7,951 | 21,941 | 4,595,711 |
| 1928 | 3,029,950 | 148,801 | 114,988 | 8,556 | 680,919 | 7,456 | 21,578 | 4,994,515 |

SEASON 1928-29.—The estimated area under wheat was 4,470,100 acres; of which 3,863,030 acres were harvested for grain, 364,090 for hay, 226,580 acres failed, and 16,400 acres were profitably fed off.

* Exclusive of area double cropped.

No. 36.—Production of Crops.

| Season ended June. | Wheat. | Maize. | Oats. | Sugar-cane. | Hay. | Wine. | Potatoes. | Total value of Crops (to Producers) |
|--------------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--|
| | bushels. | bushels. | bushels. | tons. | tons. | gallons. | tons. | £ |
| 1918 | 37,712,000 | 3,499,960 | 1,455,111 | 174,881 | 784,206 | 538,210 | 49,984 | 13,684,900 |
| 1919 | 18,325,000 | 2,091,921 | 1,273,752 | 105,234 | 753,630 | 555,770 | 30,356 | 12,280,190 |
| 1920 | 4,388,000 | 4,052,025 | 586,758 | 91,321 | 580,586 | 717,893 | 49,986 | 13,582,690 |
| 1921 | 55,625,000 | 4,176,000 | 1,642,700 | 131,313 | 1,374,656 | 674,188 | 63,256 | 32,372,550 |
| 1922 | 42,767,000 | 3,976,300 | 1,169,900 | 149,474 | 1,029,372 | 627,105 | 57,835 | 20,260,770 |
| 1923 | 28,668,000 | 3,287,500 | 1,250,800 | 147,992 | 1,060,979 | 771,206 | 35,726 | 21,300,860 |
| 1924 | 33,176,000 | 4,623,000 | 1,570,300 | 132,084 | 1,173,047 | 1,459,778 | 61,079 | 20,555,740 |
| 1925 | 59,767,000 | 4,208,200 | 2,511,400 | 228,978 | 1,157,566 | 1,171,336 | 57,274 | 28,784,820 |
| 1926 | 33,806,000 | 3,278,350 | 1,615,650 | 297,335 | 866,275 | 1,240,893 | 43,137 | 20,740,960 |
| 1927 | 47,541,000 | 3,593,530 | 1,898,750 | 230,254 | 877,767 | 1,625,507 | 53,288 | 22,098,100 |
| 1928 | 27,042,000 | 3,930,570 | 1,654,560 | 208,612 | 754,176 | 2,295,030 | 47,397 | 17,018,170 |

SEASON 1928-29.—The estimated production of wheat was 49,182,000 bushels, and the yield of wheat hay, 392,790 tons.

No. 37.—Average Yield per acre of Crops.

| Season ended June. | Wheat. | Maize. | Oats. | Sugar-cane. | Hay. | Wine. | Potatoes. | Value per acre of all Crops |
|-------------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|-------------|-------|----------|-----------|-----------------------------------|
| | bushels. | bushels. | bushels. | tons. | tons. | gallons. | tons. | £ s. d. |
| 1918 | 11'3 | 24'0 | 17'6 | 31'30 | 1'26 | 140 | 2'21 | 3 1 4 |
| 1919 | 7'6 | 18'3 | 14'7 | 23'05 | 0'92 | 140 | 1'45 | 3 3 1 |
| 1920 | 3'0 | 29'7 | 7'7 | 18'92 | 0'62 | 170 | 2'49 | 3 12 1 |
| 1921 | 17'8 | 29'0 | 21'1 | 23'79 | 1'61 | 147 | 2'29 | 7 5 0 |
| 1922 | 13'4 | 27'1 | 16'8 | 27'68 | 1'37 | 145 | 1'96 | 4 11 2 |
| 1923 | 9'7 | 23'8 | 16'9 | 25'17 | 1'19 | 168 | 1'58 | 4 10 9 |
| 1924 | 11'3 | 27'7 | 18'1 | 19'62 | 1'15 | 223 | 2'79 | 4 5 6 |
| 1925 | 16'8 | 28'7 | 20'3 | 29'50 | 1'52 | 168 | 2'45 | 5 17 3 |
| 1926 | 11'6 | 27'1 | 16'0 | 34'20 | 1'15 | 178 | 1'90 | 4 11 4 |
| 1927 | 14'2 | 28'0 | 18'1 | 22'73 | 1'40 | 230 | 2'43 | 4 16 2 |
| 1928 | 8'9 | 26'4 | 14'4 | 24'40 | 1'11 | † | 2'20 | 3 8 2 |
| Average for 10 years (1919-1928) | 12'1 | 26'7 | 16'6 | 25'31 | 1'19 | † | 2'15 | 4 12 8 |

The estimated average yield of wheat for grain per acre was 8·9 bushels in 1927-28 and 12·1 bushels in 1928-29.

NOTE.—The figures in the above Tables (35, 36, 37) exclude Federal Territory since 1st July, 1927.

† Wine is not wholly grown on area shown above.

NEW SOUTH WALES

No. 38.—Live Stock.

| Period, 30th June. | Horses. | Cattle. | | | Sheep. | Swine. |
|-----------------------|---------|----------------------------|------------|-----------|------------|---------|
| | | Dairy Cows. (See Note.) | All other. | Total. | | |
| 1917 | 733,791 | 1,022,297 | 1,743,646 | 2,765,943 | 40,090,000 | 359,763 |
| 1918 | 742,247 | 1,066,089 | 2,095,628 | 3,161,717 | 42,520,000 | 396,157 |
| 1919 | 722,723 | 970,448 | 2,310,228 | 3,280,676 | 42,170,000 | 294,648 |
| 1920 | 662,264 | 903,023 | 2,181,309 | 3,084,332 | 33,150,000 | 253,910 |
| 1921 | 663,178 | 941,742 | 2,433,525 | 3,375,267 | 37,750,000 | 306,253 |
| 1922 | 669,800 | 974,087 | 2,572,443 | 3,546,530 | 41,070,000 | 383,669 |
| 1923 | 660,031 | 958,287 | 2,292,893 | 3,251,180 | 38,760,000 | 340,853 |
| 1924 | 658,372 | 949,135 | 1,989,387 | 2,938,522 | 41,440,000 | 323,196 |
| 1925 | 647,503 | 982,850 | 1,893,404 | 2,876,254 | 47,100,000 | 339,669 |
| 1926 | 651,935 | 984,501 | 1,952,629 | 2,937,130 | 53,860,000 | 382,674 |
| 1927 | 623,392 | 992,419 | 1,826,234 | 2,818,623 | 55,930,000 | 332,921 |
| 1928 | 598,377 | 1,002,837 | 1,845,817 | 2,848,654 | 50,510,000 | 301,819 |

The number of sheep in the State at 31st December, 1928, was 52,700,000.

NOTE.—Reference should be made to the "Statistical Register of New South Wales" as to classification of dairy cows and complete information for all years regarding Live Stock.

No. 39.—Production—Pastoral and Dairying.

| Year ended 30th June. | Wool. (as in the grease). | Butter. | Cheese. | Bacon and Ham. |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|-------------|-----------|----------------|
| | lb. | lb. | lb. | lb. |
| 1918 | 322,855,000 | 80,468,007 | 7,799,676 | 18,555,144 |
| 1919 | 340,953,000 | 66,008,958 | 5,982,120 | 16,801,666 |
| 1920 | 352,071,000 | 63,135,000 | 6,762,467 | 16,669,598 |
| 1921 | 275,269,000 | 84,268,041 | 6,407,209 | 16,257,242 |
| 1922 | 333,856,000 | 100,672,581 | 7,367,057 | 20,422,870 |
| 1923 | 336,899,000 | 73,723,597 | 5,198,905 | 19,245,866 |
| 1924 | 303,232,000 | 72,684,093 | 5,912,656 | 19,052,109 |
| 1925 | 369,118,000 | 117,211,347 | 7,705,596 | 21,076,796 |
| 1926 | 402,490,000 | 106,967,661 | 6,462,535 | 22,958,371 |
| 1927 | 499,322,000 | 96,551,738 | 6,735,960 | 24,603,065 |
| 1928 | 443,860,000 | 101,595,358 | 7,284,622 | 25,479,208 |
| 1929 | 430,000,000* | † | † | † |

* Rough approximation subject to revision.

† Not available.

BUTTER PRODUCTION IN FACTORIES during each month, 1923-29 :—

| | 1923 lb. | 1924 lb. | 1925 lb. | 1926 lb. | 1927 lb. | 1928 lb. | 1929 lb. |
|-----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| January | 8,981,492 | 8,107,469 | 14,134,886 | 13,075,881 | 11,466,164 | 12,402,055 | 8,483,341 |
| February | 6,492,525 | 8,775,135 | 13,003,966 | 10,160,676 | 11,077,760 | 11,793,900 | 9,784,653 |
| March | 6,341,489 | 8,881,712 | 12,816,868 | 8,492,545 | 10,346,911 | 11,619,637 | 12,090,112 |
| April | 5,075,733 | 7,081,383 | 10,197,710 | 8,670,362 | 8,357,424 | 9,692,439 | 10,273,146 |
| May | 4,368,068 | 5,863,285 | 7,349,965 | 7,246,991 | 6,659,143 | 7,812,714 | 7,780,453 |
| June | 3,214,353 | 4,177,577 | 5,437,561 | 5,058,736 | 4,615,468 | 5,231,650 | |
| July | 2,501,809 | 3,448,909 | 4,690,763 | 4,058,267 | 3,833,528 | 4,135,582 | |
| August | 2,524,631 | 4,096,458 | 4,932,319 | 5,462,144 | 3,752,086 | 4,630,912 | |
| September | 3,634,173 | 6,612,609 | 6,839,475 | 6,623,227 | 3,788,843 | 6,086,264 | |
| October | 5,735,925 | 9,059,466 | 8,704,735 | 8,298,663 | 5,827,304 | 8,250,250 | |
| November | 5,937,792 | 11,301,933 | 10,737,251 | 7,431,828 | 8,953,118 | 7,808,092 | |
| December | 5,145,417 | 14,642,577 | 12,946,279 | 6,688,687 | 12,009,976 | 7,335,612 | |

No. 40.—Average Wholesale Prices in Sydney of N.S.W. Agricultural and Dairy Produce—Monthly.

| Article. | March Quarter, 1929. | | | June Quarter, 1929. | | | June Quarter, 1928. | | |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|--------|--------|---------------------|--------|--------|---------------------|--------|--------|
| | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | April. | May. | June. | April. | May. | June. |
| | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. |
| Wheat (Milling) .. per bus. | 4 7 3 | 4 8 3 | 4 7 6 | 4 6 8 | 4 4 1 | 4 3 3 | 5 6 8 | 5 7 4 | 5 5 1 |
| Flour (in 150-lb. bags) .. per ton | 10 15 0 | 11 1 6 | 11 5 0 | 11 5 0 | 11 5 0 | 11 5 0 | 12 19 9 | 13 9 4 | 13 5 0 |
| Bran per bus. | 16 23 | 17 00 | 14 07 | 14 40 | 15 34 | 17 15 | 15 28 | 16 75 | 15 72 |
| Pollard " | 16 23 | 17 00 | 15 60 | 16 14 | 17 74 | 18 82 | 18 25 | 19 11 | 18 12 |
| Oats " | 3 6 4 | 3 8 6 | 3 3 9 | 3 3 6 | 3 3 8 | 3 4 4 | 4 8 4 | 4 8 3 | 4 8 3 |
| Maize " | 5 4 5 | 5 4 5 | 5 6 6 | 5 9 | 5 10 | 5 5 | 4 2 2 | 4 1 2 | 4 0 2 |
| Hay (Oaten) per ton | 6 19 5 | 6 4 5 | 6 13 0 | 6 6 9 | 7 1 8 | 7 6 11 | 7 9 0 | 7 0 7 | 7 7 9 |
| Potatoes (Local) " | * | * | * | 12 17 2 | 11 6 1 | 13 1 5 | 6 2 8 | 4 17 4 | 3 19 9 |
| Butter (choicest) per lb. | 22 50 | 22 30 | 21 15 | 21 00 | 21 40 | 22 00 | 19 00 | 19 00 | 19 07 |
| Cheese (prime) " | 10 75 | 10 70 | 10 70 | 10 70 | 11 17 | 12 70 | 9 65 | 9 69 | 9 75 |
| Bacon (sides) " | 13 85 | 13 70 | 13 75 | 13 68 | 13 27 | 12 39 | 11 63 | 11 10 | 10 65 |
| Lard (bulk) " | 9 00 | 9 00 | 9 00 | 9 00 | 9 00 | 9 00 | 9 75 | 9 75 | 9 75 |
| Eggs (Norths and Souths) per doz. | 1 0 2 | 1 6 05 | 1 9 48 | 1 10 53 | 2 1 51 | 1 9 9 | 1 9 3 | 2 2 8 | 2 2 8 |
| „ (new laid) " | 1 6 55 | 2 0 05 | 2 0 95 | 2 6 | 2 8 88 | 2 4 7 | 2 8 | 2 9 | 2 8 4 |

* No quota to

† Tasmanian.

No. 41.—Minerals Won in New South Wales, 1927 and 1928.

| Minerals. | 1927. | | 1928. | | Total Value up to end of Year 1928.† |
|--|------------|------------|-----------|------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. | |
| | | £ | | £ | £ |
| Gold oz. fine | 18,032 | 76,595 | 12,831 | 54,503 | 63,635,957 |
| Silver—Ingots and Matte oz. | 5,341 | 534 | 8,573 | 936 | 6,103,274 |
| Silver—Lead, Ore, Concentrates, etc. ... ton | 290,259 | 3,487,446 | 247,847 | 2,491,153 | 102,357,845 |
| Lead—Pig, etc. " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 6,442,397 |
| Zinc Concentrates " | 277,425 | 996,877 | 314,864 | 1,118,541 | 22,061,937 |
| Tin Ingots and Ore " | 1,030 | 287,539 | 1,020 | 231,843 | 14,197,520 |
| Copper, Ingots, Matte, and Ore " | 376 | 12,655 | 55 | 3,497 | 15,556,451 |
| Silica " | 12,703 | 8,987 | 25,274 | 8,881 | 222,104 |
| Manganese Ore " | 1,202 | 4,285 | 167 | 568 | 77,813 |
| Coal " | 11,126,114 | 9,782,002 | 9,448,197 | 8,263,729 | 178,435,160 |
| Iron (from local ores) " | 118,951 | 654,230 | 56,776 | 312,268 | 8,891,865 |
| Shale (oil) " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2,690,710 |
| Limestone Flux " | 119,094 | 44,660 | 79,846 | 29,942 | 1,176,384 |
| Opal (Noble) " | ... | 13,353 | ... | 11,000 | 1,585,762 |
| All other Minerals " | ... | 1,679,207 | ... | 1,836,708 | 7,110,440 |
| Total £ | ... | 17,048,370 | ... | 14,363,569 | 430,546,619 |
| Other :— | | | | | |
| Iron made from scrap " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,416,030 |
| Portland Cement* ton | 425,808 | 1,761,210 | 408,943 | 1,718,527 | 15,567,467 |
| Lime " | 39,905 | 115,191 | 44,609 | 122,936 | 1,483,032† |
| Coke* " | 709,342 | 1,131,335 | 520,201 | 852,739 | 12,998,553 |

* Quantity manufactured and value.

† Includes quantity exported (only) up to the end of 1899.

‡ Up to the end of 1924, production was only recorded in respect of quarries, etc., held under mining title. All quarries are now included.

No. 42.—Factories, 1921–28.

| Year ended 30th June. | Establishments. | Persons Engaged (including Working Proprietors). | | | Value of Plant and Machinery. | Salaries and Wages Paid, exclusive of drawings by Working Proprietors. | Total Value of Output. |
|-----------------------|-----------------|--|----------|---------|-------------------------------|--|------------------------|
| | | Males. | Females. | Total. | | | |
| | No. | No. | No. | No. | £ | £ | £ |
| 1921 | 5,837 | 112,187 | 32,824 | 145,011 | 31,115,444 | 25,618,591 | 137,841,386 |
| 1922 | 6,356 | 112,362 | 36,514 | 148,876 | 35,229,530 | 26,783,242 | 132,820,065 |
| 1923 | 6,703 | 115,287 | 37,299 | 152,586 | 37,579,386 | 27,135,647 | 132,853,608 |
| 1924 | 7,321 | 121,845 | 37,829 | 159,674 | 41,141,890 | 29,772,994 | 146,359,260 |
| 1925 | 7,906 | 126,496 | 39,264 | 165,760 | 43,553,900 | 31,520,849 | 159,608,873 |
| 1926 | 8,196 | 132,239 | 41,862 | 174,101 | 45,994,534 | 33,566,546 | 169,963,146 |
| 1927 | 8,222 | 138,309 | 44,884 | 183,193 | 48,659,375 | 37,092,196 | 179,302,446 |
| 1928 | 8,362 | 137,936 | 44,724 | 182,660 | 50,489,674 | *37,818,141 | 181,403,084 |

* Of this amount males received £32,929,659 and females £4,888,482.

NOTE.—For return of principal articles manufactured during the years 1927 and 1928, see Table No. 14.

No. 43.—Value of Production—Principal Industries—1918-28.

The following figures represent the estimated Value of Production from the various Industries at the place of production.

(In thousands, 000 omitted.)

| Year ended 30th June. | Primary Industries. | | | | | | Manufacturing Industry. | Total, All Industries. |
|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|---------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| | Rural Industries. | | | | Forests, Fisheries, and Trapping. | Mining Industry. | Total Primary Industries. | |
| | Pastoral. | Agricultural. | Dairying and Farm- yard. | Total Rural Industries. | | | | |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| 1918 | 32,415 | 13,685 | 12,635 | 56,735 | 3,737 | 10,493 | 70,965 | 100,465 |
| 1919 | 34,750 | 12,280 | 11,073 | 58,103 | 3,708 | 7,805 | 69,616 | 102,384 |
| 1920 | 40,335 | 13,582 | 11,793 | 65,710 | 7,760 | 9,650 | 83,120 | 122,434 |
| 1921 | 20,336 | 32,373 | 16,447 | 69,156 | 4,089 | 10,192 | 83,437 | 126,565 |
| 1922 | 25,020 | 20,261 | 12,914 | 58,195 | 3,628 | 9,666 | 71,489 | 118,235 |
| 1923 | 36,783 | 21,301 | 13,445 | 71,529 | 4,810 | 10,419 | 86,758 | 138,354 |
| 1924 | 39,775 | 20,556 | 12,327 | 72,658 | 4,204 | 11,845 | 88,707 | 144,368 |
| 1925 | 46,028 | 28,785 | 14,336 | 89,149 | 5,039 | 11,785 | 105,973 | 165,017 |
| 1926 | 42,369 | 20,741 | 14,712 | 77,822 | 5,609 | 12,346* | 95,777 | 160,615 |
| 1927 | 47,822 | 22,098 | 14,591 | 84,511 | 6,147 | 12,352* | 103,010 | 172,859 |
| 1928 | 45,407 | 17,018 | 15,273 | 77,698 | 5,208 | 10,436* | 93,342 | 165,147 |

* Excluding the output of quarries valued at £979,000 in 1926, £1,521,500 in 1927, and £1,500,000 in 1928.

Value of Production per Head of Population.

| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
|------|---------|---------|---------|----------|---------|---------|----------|----------|----------|
| 1918 | 16 17 0 | 7 2 3 | 5 10 7 | 29 9 10 | 1 18 10 | 5 9 1 | 36 17 9 | 15 6 9 | 52 4 6 |
| 1919 | 17 13 5 | 6 4 10 | 5 12 7 | 29 10 10 | 1 17 8 | 3 19 5 | 35 7 11 | 16 13 2 | 52 1 1 |
| 1920 | 19 15 9 | 6 13 3 | 5 15 8 | 32 4 8 | 3 16 2 | 4 14 8 | 40 15 6 | 19 5 8 | 60 1 2 |
| 1921 | 9 14 7 | 15 9 8 | 7 17 4 | 33 1 7 | 1 19 2 | 4 17 6 | 39 18 3 | 20 12 8 | 60 10 11 |
| 1922 | 11 15 2 | 9 10 5 | 6 1 4 | 27 6 11 | 1 14 2 | 4 10 10 | 33 11 11 | 21 19 4 | 45 11 3 |
| 1923 | 16 18 6 | 9 16 0 | 6 3 9 | 32 18 3 | 2 4 3 | 4 15 11 | 39 18 5 | 23 14 10 | 63 13 3 |
| 1924 | 18 0 1 | 9 6 0 | 5 11 6 | 32 17 7 | 1 18 1 | 5 7 2 | 40 15 6 | 20 25 3 | 8 65 6 6 |
| 1925 | 20 8 9 | 12 15 6 | 6 7 3 | 39 11 6 | 2 4 7 | 5 4 7 | 47 0 8 | 26 4 1 | 73 4 9 |
| 1926 | 18 8 10 | 9 0 6 | 6 8 0 | 33 17 4 | 2 8 10 | 5 7 6 | 41 13 8 | 28 4 4 | 69 18 0 |
| 1927 | 20 7 4 | 9 8 3 | 6 4 4 | 35 19 11 | 2 12 4 | 5 5 3 | 43 17 6 | 29 15 0 | 73 12 6 |
| 1928 | 18 18 3 | 7 1 9 | 6 7 3 | 32 7 3 | 2 3 5 | 4 6 11 | 38 17 7 | 29 18 2 | 68 15 9 |

No. 44.—Estimated Number of Persons Engaged in Principal Industries—1918-28.

(The figures represent the average number of persons engaged during the year.)

| Year ended 30th June. | Rural Industries. | | | Forests, Fisheries, and Trapping. | Mining Industry. | Manufacturing Industry. | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------|----------|---------|--|---------------------|-------------------------|----------|---------|
| | Males. | Females. | Total. | Males. | Males. | Males. | Females. | Total. |
| 1918 | 112,500 | 14,900 | 127,400 | 6,800 | 29,900 | 90,000 | 30,500 | 120,500 |
| 1919 | 113,900 | 13,600 | 127,500 | 7,000 | 29,100 | 96,900 | 30,700 | 127,600 |
| 1920 | 126,900 | 14,700 | 141,600 | 6,800 | 27,300 | 109,800 | 34,600 | 144,400 |
| 1921 | 120,600 | 15,700 | 136,300 | 6,700 | 26,100 | 112,200 | 32,800 | 145,000 |
| 1922 | 120,900 | 16,800 | 137,700 | 6,900 | 25,800 | 112,400 | 36,500 | 148,900 |
| 1923 | 120,900 | 16,400 | 137,300 | 6,900 | 28,100 | 115,300 | 37,300 | 152,600 |
| 1924 | 120,300 | 15,300 | 135,600 | 7,800 | 28,100 | 121,800 | 37,800 | 159,600 |
| 1925 | 123,200 | 16,300 | 139,500 | 8,300 | 29,500 | 126,500 | 39,300 | 165,800 |
| 1926 | 121,000 | 16,300 | 137,300 | 7,900 | 29,800 | 132,200 | 41,900 | 174,100 |
| 1927 | 119,900 | 14,300 | 134,200 | 8,500 | 30,400 | 138,300 | 44,900 | 183,200 |
| 1928 | 120,700 | 13,500 | 134,200 | 8,000 | 26,700 | 138,000 | 44,700 | 182,700 |

NOTE.—The great majority of females engaged in rural occupations are employed in conjunction with domestic duties, very few being returned as working for wages. Since 1919 a more careful collection has been made of the number of females engaged in rural pursuits, and it would appear that previously about 12,000 females were included each year (e.g., wives of the proprietors) who were engaged wholly in domestic duties. The number of females quoted in the above table for years prior to 1920 represents, therefore, the number as returned, less 12,000.

No. 45.—Average Retail Prices of Food and Groceries—Sydney.

| Article. | Unit of quantity. | 1929. | | | | | | 1927. | 1928. |
|--------------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | April. | May. | June. | June. | June. |
| Bread | 2-lb. loaf. | s. d. 0 5'98 | s. d. 0 5'73 | s. d. 0 5'73 | s. d. 0 5'73 | s. d. 0 5'73 | s. d. 0 5'73 | s. d. 0 6'0 | s. d. 0 5'98 |
| Flour | 25-lb. bag. | 4 6'2 | 4 4'2 | 4 3'9 | 4 3'9 | 4 3'4 | 4 3'1 | 4 9'5 | 4 9'8 |
| Tea | lb. | 2 2'3 | 2 2'3 | 2 2'2 | 2 2'3 | 2 2'3 | 2 2'3 | 2 2'9 | 2 2'9 |
| Coffee and Chicory .. | " | 2 2'4 | 2 2'4 | 2 2'4 | 2 2'4 | 2 2'4 | 2 2'4 | 2 2'2 | 2 2'2 |
| Sugar (small quantities) | " | 0 4'6 | 0 4'6 | 0 4'6 | 0 4'6 | 0 4'6 | 0 4'6 | 0 4'6 | 0 4'6 |
| Rice | " | 0 3'8 | 0 3'7 | 0 3'7 | 0 3'7 | 0 3'7 | 0 3'7 | 0 3'6 | 0 3'8 |
| Sago | " | 0 3'4 | 0 3'4 | 0 3'4 | 0 3'4 | 0 3'4 | 0 3'3 | 0 3'6 | 0 3'6 |
| Jam (Australian) ... | " | 0 6'9 | 0 6'9 | 0 6'9 | 0 6'9 | 0 6'9 | 0 6'9 | 0 8'2 | 0 7'6 |
| Oatmeal (plain) ... | 5-lb. bag | 1 8'9 | 1 9'1 | 1 8'8 | 1 8'5 | 1 8'4 | 1 8'0 | 1 8'2 | 1 9'0 |
| Raisins | lb. | 0 9'1 | 0 9'1 | 0 9'1 | 0 9'1 | 0 9'0 | 0 9'0 | 1 8'9 | 0 8'8 |
| Currants | " | 0 9'6 | 0 9'6 | 0 9'7 | 0 9'5 | 0 9'3 | 0 9'3 | 0 8'7 | 0 9'1 |
| Starch | " | 0 9'4 | 0 9'4 | 0 9'4 | 0 9'4 | 0 9'4 | 0 9'2 | 0 9'8 | 0 9'7 |
| Blue | doz. sqs. | 1 2'0 | 1 2'0 | 1 2'0 | 1 2'0 | 1 2'0 | 1 2'0 | 1 2'7 | 1 2'5 |
| Candles | lb. | 0 10'4 | 0 10'4 | 0 10'4 | 0 10'4 | 0 10'3 | 0 10'6 | 0 11'7 | 0 11'7 |
| Soap | " | 0 5'3 | 0 5'3 | 0 5'2 | 0 5'1 | 0 5'2 | 0 5'2 | 0 5'3 | 0 5'4 |
| Potatoes | 14 lb. | 3 11'9 | 3 9'8 | 3 0'6 | 3 5'7 | 2 10'8 | 3 1'0 | 2 1'7 | 1 7'8 |
| Onions | lb. | 0 3'0 | 0 2'9 | 0 2'8 | 0 2'8 | 0 2'8 | 0 2'8 | 0 2'6 | 0 2'5 |
| Kerosene | gallon. | 1 11'4 | 1 11'4 | 1 11'4 | 1 11'4 | 1 11'3 | 1 11'3 | 2 0'7 | 1 11'9 |
| Milk (Fresh) | quart. | 0 9'1 | 0 9'1 | 0 9'1 | 0 9'1 | 0 9'1 | 0 9'1 | 0 8'9 | 0 9'1 |
| Butter | lb. | 2 1'5 | 2 1'6 | 2 0'2 | 2 0'2 | 2 0'1 | 2 1'0 | 1 11'9 | 1 10'3 |
| Cheese (new & matured) | " | 1 3'3 | 1 3'8 | 1 3'4 | 1 3'3 | 1 3'3 | 1 4'0 | 1 4'1 | 1 2'8 |
| Eggs, new-laid ... | doz. | 1 8'3 | 2 2'2 | 2 4'6 | 2 8'8 | 3 0'8 | 2 7'8 | 3 0'9 | 3 1'9 |
| Bacon (Middle cut) ... | lb. | 1 8'0 | 1 8'1 | 1 8'0 | 1 8'0 | 1 8'0 | 1 7'7 | 1 8'0 | 1 6'5 |
| " (Shoulder) ... | " | 1 0'9 | 1 1'2 | 1 1'1 | 1 1'1 | 1 0'7 | 1 0'4 | 1 0'1 | 0 11'6 |
| Ham | " | 1 11'8 | 2 0'2 | 1 11'8 | 1 11'8 | 1 11'8 | 1 11'6 | 2 0'0 | 1 11'3 |
| Beef (Fresh)—Sirloin... | " | 0 10'4 | 0 10'9 | 0 11'4 | 0 11'2 | 0 10'9 | 0 11'2 | 0 9'6 | 0 10'7 |
| " Ribs | " | 0 7'8 | 0 8'5 | 0 8'9 | 0 8'7 | 0 8'2 | 0 8'6 | 0 6'9 | 0 8'1 |
| " Flank | " | 0 7'7 | 0 8'1 | 0 8'4 | 0 8'5 | 0 8'3 | 0 8'3 | 0 6'0 | 0 8'1 |
| " Gravy | " | 0 5'7 | 0 6'2 | 0 6'2 | 0 6'1 | 0 6'3 | 0 6'4 | 0 4'1 | 0 6'0 |
| Steak—Rump | " | 1 3'1 | 1 3'9 | 1 4'0 | 1 3'9 | 1 3'5 | 1 3'6 | 1 2'1 | 1 3'4 |
| " Shoulder... .. | " | 0 7'3 | 0 7'9 | 0 8'1 | 0 8'1 | 0 8'0 | 0 8'0 | 0 6'4 | 0 7'9 |
| " Stewing... .. | " | 0 6'3 | 0 6'8 | 0 7'1 | 0 7'0 | 0 6'9 | 0 6'9 | 0 5'2 | 0 7'0 |
| Beef (Corned)—Round | " | 0 8'2 | 0 8'7 | 0 8'8 | 0 8'5 | 0 8'4 | 0 8'4 | 0 7'0 | 0 8'7 |
| Mutton—Leg | " | 0 8'0 | 0 8'5 | 0 8'8 | 0 8'7 | 0 8'5 | 0 8'4 | 0 7'4 | 0 8'4 |
| " Shoulder | " | 0 6'0 | 0 6'4 | 0 6'6 | 0 6'7 | 0 6'5 | 0 6'4 | 0 5'8 | 0 6'2 |
| " Loin | " | 0 9'2 | 0 9'8 | 0 10'3 | 0 10'3 | 0 10'0 | 0 10'1 | 0 8'6 | 0 9'2 |
| " Neck | " | 0 5'7 | 0 6'4 | 0 6'5 | 0 6'6 | 0 6'3 | 0 6'5 | 0 5'7 | 0 6'2 |
| Chops—Loin | " | 0 10'3 | 0 11'0 | 0 11'9 | 0 11'8 | 0 11'3 | 0 11'2 | 0 9'4 | 0 10'5 |
| " Leg | " | 0 9'2 | 0 9'8 | 0 10'4 | 0 10'4 | 0 9'9 | 0 10'1 | 0 8'7 | 0 9'8 |
| " Neck | " | 0 7'3 | 0 7'6 | 0 8'2 | 0 8'1 | 0 7'9 | 0 8'0 | 0 7'0 | 0 7'7 |
| Lamb—Forequarter ... | " | 0 7'8 | 0 8'3 | 0 8'9 | 0 9'0 | 0 8'6 | 0 8'6 | 0 7'2 | 0 7'8 |
| " Hindquarter... | " | 0 10'9 | 0 11'6 | 0 11'6 | 0 11'6 | 0 11'7 | 0 11'7 | 0 10'3 | 0 11'1 |
| Pork—Leg | " | 1 2'5 | 1 2'6 | 1 2'4 | 1 2'4 | 1 2'4 | 1 2'6 | 1 1'7 | 1 1'7 |
| " Loin | " | 1 3'1 | 1 3'6 | 1 3'0 | 1 3'0 | 1 2'9 | 1 3'0 | 1 2'5 | 1 2'5 |
| " Belly | " | 0 11'7 | 1 0'5 | 1 0'4 | 1 0'3 | 1 0'1 | 0 11'8 | 0 11'3 | 1 0'0 |
| " Chops | " | 1 3'0 | 1 3'4 | 1 3'1 | 1 3'0 | 1 3'1 | 1 3'1 | 1 2'6 | 1 2'6 |

NOTE—The above Prices represent the average predominant rates ruling about the 15th day of each month

No. 46.—Index Numbers—Retail Prices, Food and Groceries, Sydney, 1914-29. (July, 1914=1000.)

| Month. | 1914. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. | 1925. | 1926. | 1927. | 1928. | 1929. |
|---------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Jan... | 968 | 1449 | 1696 | 1886 | 1454 | 1493 | 1568 | 1490 | 1582 | 1670 | 1608 | 1693 |
| Feb... | 993 | 1477 | 1750 | 1859 | 1405 | 1480 | 1539 | 1493 | 1505 | 1592 | 1572 | 1711 |
| Mar... | 1033 | 1501 | 1738 | 1766 | 1417 | 1472 | 1531 | 1510 | 1636 | 1545 | 1590 | 1678 |
| Apr... | 1018 | 1532 | 1787 | 1705 | 1436 | 1550 | 1508 | 1507 | 1663 | 1505 | 1603 | 1701 |
| May... | 1000 | 1533 | 1780 | 1653 | 1462 | 1573 | 1524 | 1528 | 1660 | 1572 | 1606 | 1657 |
| June... | 1010 | 1541 | 1901 | 1630 | 1455 | 1628 | 1482 | 1547 | 1632 | 1572 | 1500 | 1673 |
| July... | 1000 | 1541 | 1953 | 1612 | 1493 | 1649 | 1484 | 1500 | 1620 | 1532 | 1579 | 1663 |
| Aug... | 1009 | 1533 | 2007 | 1592 | 1531 | 1674 | 1477 | 1575 | 1614 | 1585 | 1567 | ... |
| Sept... | 996 | 1520 | 2023 | 1569 | 1544 | 1644 | 1449 | 1583 | 1609 | 1616 | 1562 | ... |
| Oct... | 988 | 1611 | 1934 | 1539 | 1496 | 1595 | 1460 | 1601 | 1585 | 1672 | 1505 | ... |
| Nov... | 989 | 1664 | 1900 | 1494 | 1523 | 1600 | 1503 | 1578 | 1615 | 1662 | 1578 | ... |
| Dec... | 1029 | 1650 | 1885 | 1439 | 1505 | 1586 | 1497 | 1608 | 1648 | 1628 | 1582 | ... |

No. 47.—Index Numbers—Wholesale Prices, Sydney, 1911-29.

Yearly—1911=28.

[Year 1911=1000.]

| Year. | Agricultural Produce. (13 items.) | Groceries. (26 items.) | Wool, Cotton, Leather and Jute. (9 items.) | Metals and Coal. (16 items.) | Building Materials. (17 items.) | Meat. (5 items.) | Dairy Produce. (8 items.) | Chemicals. (6 items.) | All Com. commodities. (100 items) |
|-------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|---|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1911 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 |
| 1912 | 1339 | 1036 | 968 | 1001 | 1079 | 1323 | 1133 | 980 | 1129 |
| 1913 | 1069 | 1033 | 1043 | 1039 | 1107 | 1379 | 1093 | 1003 | 1092 |
| 1914 | 1135 | 1016 | 1009 | 1079 | 1105 | 1669 | 1128 | 1220 | 1137 |
| 1915 | 1648 | 1099 | 976 | 1270 | 1137 | 2596 | 1349 | 1426 | 1401 |
| 1916 | 1163 | 1245 | 1367 | 1725 | 1241 | 2896 | 1380 | 1617 | 1489 |
| 1917 | 1127 | 1298 | 2093 | 2358 | 1421 | 3007 | 1440 | 1956 | 1727 |
| 1918 | 1377 | 1405 | 2614 | 2740 | 1685 | 2618 | 1487 | 2605 | 1933 |
| 1919 | 1990 | 1492 | 2501 | 2454 | 1879 | 2873 | 1718 | 2089 | 2090 |
| 1920 | 2430 | 1914 | 3079 | 2602 | 2415 | 3113 | 2236 | 2301 | 2503 |
| 1921 | 1750 | 1941 | 1471 | 2511 | 2259 | 1921 | 2020 | 1863 | 1956 |
| 1922 | 1638 | 1859 | 1595 | 2164 | 2074 | 1513 | 1735 | 1668 | 1800 |
| 1923 | 1720 | 1754 | 2061 | 2131 | 1994 | 2121 | 1939 | 1531 | 1925 |
| 1924 | 1475 | 1676 | 2408 | 2127 | 1988 | 2039 | 1671 | 1493 | 1874 |
| 1925 | 1680 | 1673 | 2094 | 2117 | 1895 | 2042 | 1612 | 1423 | 1854 |
| 1926 | 1892 | 1683 | 1652 | 2161 | 1893 | 1802 | 1760 | 1447 | 1834 |
| 1927 | 1767 | 1682 | 1633 | 2197 | 1957 | 1971 | 1831 | 1483 | 1840 |
| 1928 | 1456 | 1674 | 1798 | 2176 | 1937 | 1985 | 1763 | 1492 | 1785 |

Monthly—1927-29.

[Year 1911=1000.]

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------|-----|------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| 1927. | | | | | | | | | | |
| April | ... | 1625 | 1677 | 1456 | 2191 | 1968 | 1629 | 1829 | 1481 | 1750 |
| May | ... | 1656 | 1679 | 1603 | 2185 | 1968 | 1593 | 1889 | 1485 | 1780 |
| June | ... | 1634 | 1683 | 1633 | 2177 | 1968 | 1561 | 1945 | 1488 | 1781 |
| July | ... | 1767 | 1676 | 1672 | 2218 | 1981 | 1854 | 1838 | 1488 | 1840 |
| August | ... | 1867 | 1676 | 1718 | 2218 | 1956 | 1917 | 1845 | 1487 | 1872 |
| September | ... | 1991 | 1680 | 1851 | 2217 | 1957 | 2341 | 1918 | 1493 | 1967 |
| October | ... | 2004 | 1679 | 1773 | 2197 | 1954 | 2574 | 1907 | 1493 | 1977 |
| November | ... | 1750 | 1680 | 1767 | 2187 | 1933 | 2537 | 1771 | 1461 | 1900 |
| December | ... | 1646 | 1685 | 1725 | 2181 | 1972 | 2384 | 1742 | 1447 | 1859 |
| 1928. | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | ... | 1537 | 1680 | 1753 | 2181 | 1965 | 2093 | 1707 | 1470 | 1806 |
| February | ... | 1482 | 1679 | 1758 | 2181 | 1967 | 2209 | 1676 | 1510 | 1804 |
| March | ... | 1448 | 1673 | 1805 | 2173 | 1967 | 2150 | 1773 | 1510 | 1805 |
| April | ... | 1495 | 1672 | 1864 | 2173 | 1933 | 2132 | 1802 | 1510 | 1820 |
| May | ... | 1475 | 1672 | 1957 | 2159 | 1933 | 1990 | 1806 | 1504 | 1814 |
| June | ... | 1411 | 1672 | 1845 | 2159 | 1933 | 1922 | 1796 | 1491 | 1776 |
| July | ... | 1486 | 1671 | 1890 | 2161 | 1933 | 2104 | 1775 | 1491 | 1815 |
| August | ... | 1400 | 1671 | 1763 | 2159 | 1930 | 1931 | 1756 | 1491 | 1758 |
| September | ... | 1360 | 1675 | 1727 | 2192 | 1930 | 1897 | 1764 | 1491 | 1747 |
| October | ... | 1430 | 1675 | 1744 | 2192 | 1922 | 1802 | 1771 | 1491 | 1755 |
| November | ... | 1438 | 1677 | 1733 | 2192 | 1921 | 1764 | 1727 | 1476 | 1747 |
| December | ... | 1505 | 1677 | 1729 | 2192 | 1921 | 1827 | 1802 | 1470 | 1775 |
| 1929. | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | ... | 1655 | 1670 | 1736 | 2187 | 1921 | 1856 | 1848 | 1470 | 1814 |
| February | ... | 1597 | 1670 | 1734 | 2175 | 1923 | 2252 | 1902 | 1458 | 1843 |
| March | ... | 1539 | 1658 | 1755 | 2177 | 1923 | 2597 | 1858 | 1470 | 1861 |
| April | ... | 1520 | 1657 | 1724 | 2188 | 1927 | 2707 | 1911 | 1458 | 1870 |
| May | ... | 1533 | 1657 | 1670 | 2180 | 1949 | 2194 | 1963 | 1447 | 1821 |
| June | ... | 1587 | 1648 | *1666 | 2166 | 1952 | 2178 | 1933 | 1447 | *1825 |

NOTE.—The actual prices of the various commodities are published in the "Statistical Register of New South Wales."

* Preliminary—Subject to revision.

No. 48.—Rates of Wages, June, 1929.

- Aerated Water Factory Employees**—Adult males, 89/6 (General) to 108/6 (Cordial Maker) per week; adult females, 46/- per week.
- Bakers (Bread)**—128/6 to 138/6 per week; (Biscuit Factories), 106/- per week.
- *Blacksmiths**, 119/6 per week.
- *Boilermakers**, 2/9 $\frac{2}{11}$ per hour.
- Bookbinders**, 112/- per week.
- Boot and Shoe makers**—Male, 100/- per week; females, 51/-; or piece-work.
- *Brass Finishers (General)**, 111/6 per week; (Engineering), 119/6 per week.
- Bread-carters**, 111/- per week.
- Bricklayers**, 3/- per hour.
- Brick-carters**—1 horse, 93/6; 2 horses, 103/6 per week. 4/- per week extra for each additional horse. 1 ton motor waggon drivers, 101/- per week, with 5/- per week for each additional ton.
- Brickmakers**—
Burners, 2/4 $\frac{1}{11}$ per hour; Machine Men, 2/3 per hour; setter, 2/4 $\frac{1}{11}$ per hour; Pitmen, 2/3 $\frac{1}{11}$ per hour.
- Brushmakers**—Male, 2/7 $\frac{2}{11}$ per hour or 112/- per week; females, 1/4 per hour or 54/6 per week; or piece-work rates.
- Butchers**—Shopman, 104/6; carter, 94/6.
Slaughtermen—Mutton, 49/7 per 100; Beef, 8/15/0 per week; Pork, 6/16/0 per week.
- *Carpenters and Joiners**, 2/10 $\frac{2}{11}$ per hour; State Award, 2/10 $\frac{2}{11}$ per hour.
- Cabinetmakers**, 111/- per week.
- Chairmakers**, 111/- per week.
- Cigarmakers**, 97/- per week; 1/5 to 12/4 $\frac{1}{2}$ per 100, according to shape.
- Clerks**—Males, 92/6; females, 53/3 per week.
" Junior (16 to 23 years)—Males, 26/9 to 92/6; females, 24/6 to 53/3 per week.
" Solicitors (under 16 to 23 years)—Males 20/- to 100/- per week; females 12/- to 60/-.
" Wholesale Hardware, General Merchants, and Importers—Males (Ledger-keepers and Cashiers) 105/- per week; junior (16 to 23 years), 20/6 to 100/-; females, 21/- to 60/- Typists, and/or Stenographers (females), 23 years and over, 66/- per week.
" *Permanent Wharf—90/6 to 102/6 per week.
" Casual Wharf—2/11 per hour.
" Office Assistants (Retail Shops)—Males 88/- to 110/- per week; females, 48/6 to 62/-.
- Coach-painters**, 118/- per week }
Coach-smiths, 118/- per week } Road.
- Coal lumpers**, 3/2 $\frac{1}{2}$ per hour, day work; 4/6 per hour, night work.
- Compositors (hand)**—Journeyman, 112/- per week 12/- extra for night work.
" (machine)—124/- per week; 12/- extra for night work.
" " Piece-work.—5d. per 1000 ens (day); 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per 1000 ens (night). plus 2/- per week basic wage increase.
- *Coopers**, 119/- per week.
- *Coppersmiths**, 119/6 per week.
- Drapers.** (See "Shop Assistants.")
- *Dressmakers**, 59/6, White-workers, 53/6, Milliners—Machinists, 52/- per week.
- Electricians**—Mechanics, 2/8 $\frac{2}{11}$ per hour; Fitters, 2/10 $\frac{1}{11}$ per hour.
- Engine-drivers**, 102/1 to 123/5 per week;
Firemen, 99/5 to 102/5 per week.
- Farriers**—Firemen, 111/- per week.
" Floormen, 106/- per week.
- *Fitters, Turners (Engineering)**, 119/6 per week.
- French-polishers**—111/- per week.
- Grocers.** (See "Shop Assistants.")
- Hairdressers**, 106/- to 116/- per week.
- Hotel Employees**—
Cooks (male), 95/- to 200/- per week.
Cooks (female), 60/- to 123/- per week.
Waiters, 87/- per week.
Waitresses, 56/- per week. { Hotel employees provided with board to receive 17/- per week less than wages prescribed.
Barmen, 94/6 per week.
Barmaids, 70/- per week.
Storemen, 100/- per week.
Kitchenmen, 87/- to 93/- per week.
- Ironmongers.** (See "Shop Assistants.")
- *Jam Factory Workers**—
Males, 89/6 to 115/6 per week.
Females, 46/6 to 64/6 per week.
- Labourers**—Builders*, 2/5 $\frac{1}{2}$; General, 2/1 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 2/8 $\frac{2}{11}$ per hour.
- Letter-press Machinists**, 112/- per week.
- Lithographers**, 112/- per week.
- *Moulders**, 2/9 $\frac{2}{11}$ per hour.
- Painters (General)**, 2/8 $\frac{2}{11}$ per hour.
- *Patternmakers**, 128/6 per week.
- Plasterers**, 3/1 $\frac{1}{2}$ per hour.
- Plumbers**, 2/11 $\frac{2}{11}$ per hour.
- Quarrymen (Sandstone)**, 2/10 $\frac{2}{11}$ per hour.
- Roofing Tile Makers**—Burners, 18/5 $\frac{1}{11}$ per shift; Machine Men, 2/3 $\frac{1}{11}$ per hour; Setter, 2/4 $\frac{1}{11}$ per hour; Pitmen, 2/3 $\frac{1}{11}$ per hour.
- *Saw-mill Employees**—Machinists, 98/- to 116/-; Saw Sharpeners, 110/-; Sawyers, 98/- to 119/- per week.
- Sheet Metal Workers**, 85/6 to 113/6 per week.
- Shop Assistants (Metropolitan) Grocers**—Males, 88/- to 97/6; females, 58/6 to 63/6, according to age. Tobacconists—Males, 88/- to 93/6; females, 48/6 to 60/6, according to age. Drapers, Ironmongers, etc., adults—Males, 88/- to 102/6 per week; females, 47/6 to 59/6 per week.
- Slaters**, 2/11 $\frac{2}{11}$ per hour.
- Stone-masons**, 3/3 per hour.
- Storemen**, per week—Wharf, 99/-; Hardware, 91/- to 123/-; Packers, 94/- to 96/-; Softgoods (Wholesale) Storemen, 93/- to 123/-; Packers, 96/- to 123/-; Drug Stores (Wholesale) Storemen, 93/6; Packers, 90/6 to 95/-; Grocers (Wholesale) Storemen, 90/- to 116/6; Packers, 91/6 to 116/6; Tobacconists (Wholesale) Storemen, 91/- to 120/6; Packers, 92/6 to 120/6; Storemen, n.e.i. 94/6 to 106/-; Packers, n.e.i. 96/- to 108/6; Produce, Grain, and Seed Stores (Wholesale) Storemen and Packers—95/- to 116/- per week; do (Retail) 95/- to 116/- Retail Stores—Storemen and Packers, 96/- to 103/6. Oil and Colour Stores (Wholesale)—Storemen and Packers, 99/- to 111/6; Bonded and Free Stores—Storemen and Packers, 100/- per week.

No. 48.—Rates of Wages, June, 1929—*continued.*

- *Tailors—Journeyman, 100/- per week.
 „ Cutters—Men's Garments—109/- to 116/- per week.
 „ Trimmers 106/- per week.
 „ Fitters 106/- per week.
 „ Machinists 106/- per week.
 „ Pressers, 106/- per week.
 „ Piece-work—log rates.
 *Tailoresses (coat hands), order, 59/6 per week.
 „ (trousers and vest hands), order, 54/- per week.
 „ Ready-made clothing for men—
 Journeywomen on coats, 57/- p. wk.
 Journeywomen on trousers and vests, 52/- per week.
 „ Piece-work, order—log rates.
 Textile Workers—Males, 88/- to 105/6; Females, 50/9 to 78/- per week.
 Tile-layers, 3/- per hour.
 Tinsmiths, 2/0 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 2/8 $\frac{1}{2}$ per hour.
 Trolly and Draymen—
 Timber-carters, 1 horse, 96/-; 2 horses, 101/-; 3 horses, 106/-; 4 horses, 110/- per week.
 Motor Waggon Drivers, 98/- per week; with 5/- per week extra for each additional ton carrying capacity.
 Carters (General)—1 Horse, 96/- per week; 2 horses, 101/- per week; 3 horses, 106/- per week; with 4/- per week extra for each additional horse.
 Casual Drivers—1 horse, 2/5 $\frac{1}{2}$ per hour, with 1/- per day extra for each additional horse.
 Tip-carters, 1 horse, 96/- per week; 2 horses, 101/- per week; 3 horses, 106/- per week; 4/- per week extra for each additional horse.
 Wood and Coal Carters—1 horse, 96/- per week; 2 horses, 101/- per week; 3 horses, 106/- per week; 4/- per week for each extra horse. Motor Waggon Drivers, 98/- up to 1 ton; with 5/- per week extra for each additional ton.
 Carters, Retail Stores—1 horse, 96/- per week; 2 horses, 101/- per week; 3 horses 106/- per week; with 4/- per week extra for each additional horse.
 Ice Carters—1 horse, 91/- per week; 2 horses, 93/6 per week.

Carters and Motor Waggon Drivers—

- Laundry Carters—1 horse, 96/- per week; with 5/- per week for each additional horse.
 Motor Waggon Drivers—98/- per week up to 1 ton; with 5/- per week extra for each additional ton or part thereof.
 Milk Carters—Ordinary delivery, 97/- per week; bulk—1 horse, 94/- per week; 2 horses, 96/- per week; with 2/6 per week extra for each additional horse. Motor Waggon Drivers—104/- per week.
 Pottery Carters—1 horse, 95/6 per week; 2 horses, 100/6 per week; 3 horses, 106/6 per week; 4 horses, 111/6 per week; with 5/- per week extra per man for each additional horse. Motor Waggon Drivers—97/6 to 113/6 per week.
 Wholesale Butchers—1 horse, 104/6 per week; 2 horses, 112/- per week; with 1/- per day extra for each additional horse. Motor Waggon Drivers—109/6 to 117/- per week.
 Motor Waggon Drivers, 98/- per week up to 1 ton carrying capacity, 5/- per ton for each additional ton up to 3-tons, and 4/- per ton for each ton over 3-tons. Casual Drivers, 2/6 $\frac{1}{2}$ per hour and 1/3 per day extra for each ton or part thereof over one ton.
 Motor Bus Drivers—115/- per week. Conductors—Males, 72/6 to 92/6, according to age.
 Motor Drivers—Private and Taxi Cab, 96/- and 98/6 per week.
 Upholsterers, males, 111/- per week; females, 56/- per week.
 Warehouse Employees (other than Softgoods and Drug Warehouses)—Males, 91/- to 101/-; females, 50/6 to 63/6, according to age. Drug Warehouse—Males, 95/- to 110/-; females, 57/3.
 Softgoods Warehouses—Males, 87/- to 100/-; females, 47/- to 60/-.
 Wharf Labourers—3/0 $\frac{1}{2}$ per hour.
 *Wheelwrights, 119/6 per week

COAL MINES.—Northern District.

- Miners, 2/5 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 6/11 $\frac{1}{2}$ per ton.
 Deputies, 24/4 per day.
 Shot-firers, 21/7 to 22/1 per day.
 Waste-examiners, 21/7 to 22/1 per day.

Engine-drivers—

- Loco. engines, 21/- per day.
 Winding, 21/- to 23/- per day.
 Other engines, 18/7 to 21/- per day.
 Stokers and firemen, 18/- to 18/7 per day.
 Motor attendants or drivers, 18/1 per day.
 Shiftmen, 18/- to 22/1 per day.
 Wheelers, 18/3 to 18/9 per day.

NOTE.—The employees in the Coal-mines in New South Wales work under Commonwealth Government Orders, Agreements or Awards. The rate paid to miners varies according to the conditions of the seams or places where the coal is mined.

*Interstate and Intercolonial Steamers (per month).

- Masters, £28/5/- to £88/7/6.
 Officers, chief, £22/13/- to £36/7/6; 2nd, £20/13/- to £32/7/6; 3rd, £21/13/- to £27/17/6 junior, £20/13/-; Firemen, £19/-/-.
 Trimmers, £17/-/-.

Coastal (New South Wales) Steamers (per month).

- Masters, £28/5/- to £48/7/6.
 Officers, chief, £22/13/- to £29/7/6; 2nd, £20/13/- to £28/7/6; others, £20/13/- to £22/13/-.
 Engineers, £24/3/- to £34/7/6.
 Firemen, £19/-/-.

- Engineers, chief, £32/2/6 to £66/7/6; 2nd, £26/17/6 to £41/15/6; 3rd, £24/2/6 to £33/7/6; 4th, £21/3/- to £28/14/6; 5th, £20/13/-.
 Able Seamen, £17/-/-.

- Donkeymen, £20/-/-.
 Able Seamen and Trimmers, £17/-/-.
 Cooks, £14/1/- to £23/11/-.
 Stewards, £15/-/- to £22/-/-.

No. 48.—Rates of Wages, June, 1929—continued.

Farm and Station Employees (with rations and lodging), per week.

Station Employees—

Cooks (station), male 54/8 and 56/-* ; female 36/9 to 54/8 ; 39/6 to 56/-*.
Cooks (shearers'), 91/-, and 104/-*
Blacksmiths, 54/8 and 58/6*
Shearers (per 100 sheep), no rations, 41/- to 51/3 (less 2/3 per week) ; and 45/3 to 56/6*.
Shed Hands, 81/- and 90/-*
Station Hands, 54/8 and 56/-*
Stockmen, 54/8 and 58/6*
Useful Boys (age under 18 to 21), 20/- to 26/6, 21/9 to 28/6*.

Farm Employees—

Permanent Farm Hands, 55/-
Harvest Hands, 14/- per day.
Driver of Reaper and Binder, Stripper and Harvester, 18/- per day.
Stack Builder, 23/- per day.
Team and Tractor Driver, 14/- per day.
Potato Digger, 13/- per day.
Maize picker, 13/- per day.
Pea and Bean Picker, 13/- per day.
Boys from 15/- per week at 16 years to 40/- per week at 20 years.
Country Blacksmiths (general) without rations, firemen 110/-, floormen 105/-.

Domestic Servants (with board and lodging), per week.

Cooks (Females)—

Private house, 25/- to 50/-
Boarding-house, 39/10 to 72/7*
General and Laundress, 42/10.*
House Maid, 37/4.*

General Servants (aged 18 years and upwards), 30/- to 40/-

Nursemaids (aged 15 to 20 years), 25/- to 35/-
Useful Girls (aged 15 to 18 years), 20/- to 25/-
*Gardeners, 57/- to 79/6

* State Award.

Living Wage for Adult Employees.

| Date of Declaration. | Male. | Female. |
|--|--|---|
| Oct., 1920, for males ; Dec., 1920, for females | 85/- per week, 14 1/2 per day, 1/9 1/4 per hour. | 43/- per week, 7/2 per day 10 3/4 per hour. |
| 8th Oct., 1921, for males ; 22nd Dec., 1921, for females... | 82/- per week, 13/8 per day, 1/8 1/2 per hour. | 41/- per week. |
| 12th May, 1922, and 8th Oct., 1922, for males | 78/- per week, 13/- per day, 1/7 1/2 per hour. | |
| 9th Oct., 1922, for females | | 39/6 per week. |
| 10th April, 1923, for males and females | 79/- per week. | 40/- per week. |
| 7th September, 1923, and 7th March, 1924, for males and females. | 82/- per week, 13/8 per day, 1/8 1/2 per hour. | 41/6 per week. |
| 24th August, 1925, for males and females | 84/- per week. | 42/6 per week. |
| 15th Dec. 1926, for males | 84/- " " | |
| 27th June, 1927, for males and females | 85/- " " | 46/- per week. |

No. 49.—New Buildings erected in Metropolis—Annually.

| Year. | Returns of Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Board. | | | Municipal Returns. | | |
|-------|--|--|--|----------------------------------|--|--|
| | Buildings erected and assessed. | Cost of Buildings, including additions to old Buildings. | Buildings for which permission to build was granted. | Estimated Cost of New Buildings. | Estimated Cost of Alterations and Additions. | Total Cost, Buildings, Alterations, and Additions. |
| | No. | £ | No. | £ | £ | £ |
| 1919 | 4,892 | 4,314,000 | 7,116 | 6,462,000 | 941,000 | 7,403,000 |
| 1920 | 8,428 | 8,398,000 | 8,667 | 8,819,000 | 1,031,000 | 9,850,000 |
| 1921 | 6,964 | 8,626,000 | 5,567 | 6,405,000 | 1,220,000 | 7,625,000 |
| 1922 | 7,277 | 8,755,000 | 8,584 | 8,259,000 | 1,141,000 | 9,400,000 |
| 1923 | 8,516 | 8,976,000 | 11,011 | 9,845,000 | 1,107,000 | 10,952,000 |
| 1924 | 9,770 | 12,585,886 | 10,019 | 8,742,000 | 1,250,000 | 9,992,000 |
| 1925 | 8,658 | 10,157,045 | 10,802 | 9,088,000 | 1,158,000 | 10,246,000 |
| 1926 | 8,534 | 11,409,396 | 10,673 | 10,510,000 | 1,750,000 | 12,260,000 |
| 1927 | 8,366 | 12,346,186 | 9,038 | 11,278,000 | 1,914,000 | 13,192,000 |
| 1928 | 9,135 | 14,216,074 | 8,828 | 10,802,000 | 1,867,000 | 12,669,000 |

No. 50.—New Buildings—Metropolis—Monthly.

| Month. | 1927. | | | 1928. | | | 1929. | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|------------|
| | City of Sydney. | | Suburbs. | City of Sydney. | | Suburbs. | City of Sydney. | | Suburbs. |
| | Per-mits.* | Per-mits. | | Per-mits.* | Per-mits. | | Per-mits.* | Per-mits. | |
| | | | £ | | | £ | | | £ |
| January | 12 | 679 | 690,115 | 11 | 747 | 1,025,819 | 5 | 742 | 743,765 |
| February | 13 | 781 | 797,617 | 10 | 709 | 800,139 | 7 | 715 | 817,277 |
| March | 14 | 856 | 917,210 | 13 | 753 | 802,589 | 7 | 780 | 952,711 |
| April | 5 | 643 | 686,384 | 9 | 616 | 671,938 | 5 | 692 | 713,391 |
| May | 13 | 757 | 693,394 | 14 | 780 | 874,805 | 12 | 736 | 894,358 |
| June | 12 | 760 | 1,291,813 | 12 | 715 | 772,093 | 6 | 671 | 772,378 |
| July | 18 | 799 | 878,056 | 14 | 816 | 919,652 | ... | ... | |
| August | 15 | 973 | 988,080 | 7 | 874 | 972,063 | ... | ... | |
| September | 12 | 763 | 864,941 | 8 | 740 | 783,643 | ... | ... | |
| October | 9 | 678 | 696,976 | 10 | 728 | 792,449 | ... | ... | |
| November | 15 | 709 | 757,644 | 8 | 714 | 841,445 | ... | ... | |
| December | 9 | 493 | 575,386 | 7 | 513 | 511,820 | ... | ... | |
| Total (twelve months) | 147 | 8,891 | 9,837,616 | 123 | 8,705 | 9,768,455 | 42† | 4,336† | 4,893,880† |

* New Buildings. City of Sydney.—The values are not available. † Represents 6 months total.
NOTE.—Since January, 1927, houses built on to existing buildings have been treated as additions.

No. 51.—Metropolis—Population and New Buildings.

NUMBER and Value of New Buildings, and of Alterations and Additions, in each Municipality, during the quarters ended 30th June, 1928 and 1929.

| Municipality. | Estimated Population on 31st December, 1928. | New Buildings during January to June. | | | | Alterations and Additions during January to June. | | | |
|----------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|------------------|-----------|------------------|---|------------------|-----------|------------------|
| | | 1928. | | 1929. | | 1928. | | 1929. | |
| | | Per-mits. | Estimated Value. | Per-mits. | Estimated Value. | Per-mits. | Estimated Value. | Per-mits. | Estimated Value. |
| City of Sydney... | 110,000 | 69 | £ * | 42 | £ * | 467 | £ * | 439 | £ * |
| Suburbs : | | | | | | | | | |
| North-western— | | | | | | | | | |
| Annandale ... | 13,060 | 12 | 11,955 | 10 | 6,350 | 25 | 2,477 | 17 | 1,239 |
| Balmain ... | 33,020 | 30 | 38,428 | 25 | 46,310 | 84 | 9,166 | 150 | 17,457 |
| Glebe ... | 23,070 | 9 | 13,452 | 13 | 49,500 | 39 | 5,530 | 34 | 5,015 |
| Leichhardt ... | 31,210 | 55 | 40,810 | 28 | 21,100 | 118 | 6,012 | 60 | 19,520 |
| West-central— | | | | | | | | | |
| Erskineville ... | 7,600 | 1 | 550 | 2 | 1,200 | 18 | 590 | 9 | 665 |
| Newtown ... | 28,550 | 27 | 25,353 | 11 | 20,700 | 62 | 5,661 | 90 | 10,623 |
| St. Peters ... | 13,750 | 30 | 21,010 | 24 | 24,550 | 19 | 2,356 | 17 | 7,975 |
| East-central— | | | | | | | | | |
| Alexandria ... | 10,240 | 24 | 29,790 | 15 | 28,890 | 30 | 14,951 | 39 | 21,177 |
| Botany ... | 7,400 | 51 | 35,416 | 63 | 43,725 | 24 | 5,505 | 42 | 10,982 |
| Darlington ... | 3,660 | 3 | 17,110 | 1 | 3,000 | 8 | 908 | 4 | 13,215 |
| Mascot ... | 13,270 | 91 | 65,110 | 106 | 87,029 | 55 | 5,874 | 61 | 5,010 |
| Redfern ... | 24,120 | 5 | 14,350 | 2 | 1,850 | 17 | 4,608 | 18 | 3,132 |
| Waterloo ... | 12,540 | 99 | 96,420 | 47 | 111,900 | 46 | 12,090 | 58 | 76,700 |
| Eastern— | | | | | | | | | |
| Paddington ... | 26,970 | 10 | 35,775 | 24 | 34,205 | 71 | 7,325 | 31 | 4,535 |
| Randwick ... | 71,760 | 301 | 621,465 | 277 | 437,918 | 260 | 34,828 | 262 | 57,392 |
| Vauluse ... | 7,010 | 50 | 108,589 | 46 | 162,760 | 76 | 19,425 | 53 | 19,010 |
| Waverley ... | 51,370 | 234 | 463,593 | 98 | 175,122 | 213 | 64,035 | 204 | 42,931 |
| Woollahra ... | 33,610 | 90 | 445,169 | 101 | 385,422 | 196 | 88,576 | 183 | 63,662 |
| Western— | | | | | | | | | |
| Ashfield ... | 39,300 | 71 | 64,926 | 74 | 84,088 | 238 | 18,586 | 274 | 23,439 |
| Auburn ... | 19,240 | 116 | 120,994 | 87 | 56,045 | 35 | 51,823 | 116 | 6,262 |
| Burwood ... | 19,040 | 57 | 35,110 | 61 | 70,375 | 135 | 12,531 | 113 | 9,640 |
| Concord ... | 21,490 | 197 | 195,163 | 131 | 131,355 | 221 | 10,646 | 254 | 19,772 |
| Drummoyno ... | 28,130 | 174 | 136,270 | 157 | 178,057 | 148 | 9,728 | 192 | 28,498 |
| Enfield ... | 13,580 | 76 | 50,670 | 54 | 44,833 | 84 | 8,805 | 85 | 4,000 |
| Granville ... | 18,390 | 141 | 84,259 | 111 | 69,033 | 72 | 30,849 | 87 | 125,871 |
| Homebush ... | 3,040 | 20 | 14,450 | 28 | 20,938 | 26 | 2,777 | 34 | 1,332 |
| Lidcombe ... | 14,990 | 110 | 77,179 | 89 | 64,129 | 57 | 2,161 | 53 | 3,397 |
| Marrickville ... | 46,110 | 77 | 55,515 | 43 | 43,745 | 117 | 24,669 | 100 | 13,407 |
| Parramatta ... | 17,150 | 64 | 49,571 | 61 | 51,475 | 44 | 7,445 | 49 | 13,975 |
| Petersham ... | 27,780 | 22 | 18,385 | 61 | 67,490 | 126 | 15,213 | 85 | 17,366 |
| Strathfield ... | 11,750 | 45 | 46,880 | 47 | 52,378 | 86 | 11,849 | 93 | 8,822 |
| Southern— | | | | | | | | | |
| Bankstown ... | 20,470 | 265 | 160,924 | 223 | 159,435 | 83 | 6,259 | 90 | 7,218 |
| Bexley ... | 19,480 | 111 | 97,632 | 116 | 86,087 | 94 | 5,153 | 126 | 8,776 |
| Canterbury ... | 69,180 | 767 | 550,616 | 616 | 485,922 | 409 | 26,934 | 404 | 31,034 |
| Hurstville ... | 20,350 | 174 | 118,615 | 174 | 137,363 | 136 | 9,550 | 129 | 22,903 |
| Kogarah ... | 27,690 | 219 | 151,053 | 245 | 188,491 | 238 | 11,324 | 211 | 14,501 |
| Rockdale ... | 35,720 | 295 | 224,254 | 260 | 224,979 | 208 | 25,221 | 184 | 10,723 |
| Northern— | | | | | | | | | |
| Eastwood ... | 2,810 | 10 | 10,525 | 22 | 16,715 | 19 | 950 | 29 | 2,155 |
| Hunter's Hill ... | 9,440 | 38 | 33,985 | 32 | 29,578 | 46 | 4,829 | 49 | 8,495 |
| Kuring-gai ... | 26,490 | 204 | 293,056 | 173 | 259,532 | 246 | 38,806 | 319 | 54,985 |
| Lane Cove ... | 14,290 | 93 | 85,235 | 73 | 79,622 | 97 | 7,551 | 93 | 11,232 |
| Manly ... | 25,530 | 74 | 75,955 | 56 | 130,156 | 116 | 21,415 | 109 | 11,304 |
| Mosman ... | 24,530 | 55 | 115,650 | 39 | 75,995 | 111 | 22,170 | 113 | 29,411 |
| North Sydney ... | 54,460 | 68 | 165,449 | 57 | 128,704 | 227 | 68,008 | 266 | 62,659 |
| Ryde ... | 40,020 | 185 | 141,367 | 242 | 210,381 | 130 | 14,866 | 129 | 10,668 |
| Willoughby ... | 21,050 | 166 | 150,677 | 111 | 105,448 | 250 | 20,956 | 242 | 20,941 |
| Total (Suburbs) | 1,107,710 | 5,016 | 5,414,710 | 4,336 | 4,893,880 | 5,160 | 780,991 | 5,300 | 963,905 |
| Total (City of Sydney) ... | 110,000 | 69 | * | 42 | * | 467 | * | 439 | * |
| Grand Total ... | 1,217,710 | 5,085 | 5,414,710 | 4,378 | 4,893,880 | 5,627 | 780,991 | 5,739 | 963,905 |

* Information not available.

Note.—For return of buildings erected during previous years see Table No. 49.
Inclusive of Ashburton, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe, and Parramatta, included in Country Municipalities prior to 1st January, 1929.

No. 52.—Country Municipalities—Population at 31st December, 1928, and New Buildings during Six months, January to June, 1929.

| Municipality. | Estimated Population on 31st Dec., 1928. | New Buildings, Jan. to June, 1929. | | Municipality. | Estimated Population on 31st Dec., 1928. | New Buildings, Jan. to June, 1929. | | Municipality. | Estimated Population on 31st Dec., 1928. | New Buildings, Jan. to June, 1929. | |
|-------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|------------------|------------------------|--|------------------------------------|------------------|------------------------|--|------------------------------------|------------------|
| | | Permits. | Estimated Value. | | | Permits. | Estimated Value. | | | Permits. | Estimated Value. |
| Balance of Cumberland— | | | £ | South Coast— | | | £ | Central Western | | | £ |
| Cabramatta and Canley Vale... | 4,510 | 45 | 16,726 | Lega | 1,800 | 5 | 3,900 | Slope— | | | |
| Campbelltown ... | 2,560 | 5 | 3,649 | Berry | 2,470 | 2 | 730 | Dubbo | 5,680 | 53 | 36,759 |
| Castlereagh ... | 340 | 1 | 400 | Bowral | 3,020 | 16 | 15,170 | Forbes | 4,880 | 35 | 30,959 |
| Dundas | 5,270 | 44 | 42,668 | Braidwood ... | 1,030 | 3 | 1,350 | Molong | 1,520 | 10 | 8,571 |
| Ermington and Rydalmere... | 2,120 | 6 | 2,925 | Broughton Vale... | 230 | Nil. | Nil. | Narramine ... | 1,550 | 18 | 11,619 |
| Fairfield | 7,400 | 35 | 18,695 | Camden | 2,160 | 7 | 4,525 | Parkes | 5,660 | 53 | 41,414 |
| Holroyd | 13,820 | 147 | 86,443 | Gerrington ... | 820 | 2 | 415 | Peak Hill | 1,180 | 13 | 1,643 |
| Ingleburn | 1,560 | 5 | 1,850 | Illawarra, Central | 6,460 | 36 | 23,658 | | | | |
| Liverpool | 3,880 | 18 | 10,440 | Illawarra, North | 7,120 | 29 | 16,004 | | | | |
| Penrith | 6,070 | 20 | 10,155 | Jamberoo | 1,070 | 4 | 15,958 | | | | |
| Richmond | 1,940 | 7 | 4,700 | Kiama | 2,120 | 5 | 3,873 | | | | |
| St. Mary's | 2,060 | 11 | 240 | Mittagong | 1,530 | 15 | 10,703 | | | | |
| Windsor | 4,240 | 18 | 12,866 | Moss Vale | 2,150 | 15 | 9,600 | South-Western | | | |
| | | | | Nowra | 2,510 | 7 | 3,883 | Slope— | | | |
| | | | | Pictou | 1,020 | Nil. | Nil. | Albury | 9,250 | 56 | 85,809 |
| | | | | Shellharbour ... | 1,690 | 12 | 5,797 | Burrowa | 1,300 | 3 | 7,450 |
| | | | | Sheolhaven South | 1,020 | Nil. | Nil. | Cootamundra ... | 4,080 | 16 | 12,685 |
| | | | | Ulladulla | 1,360 | 9 | 1,490 | Grenfell | 2,090 | 14 | 9,562 |
| | | | | Wollongong | 8,950 | 134 | 108,930 | Junee | 3,810 | 14 | 16,548 |
| | | | | | | | | Murrumburrah... | 3,020 | 6 | 4,850 |
| North Coast— | | | | | | | | Temora | 3,460 | 18 | 13,243 |
| Ballina | 3,020 | 2 | 1,725 | Northern Table- | | | | Wagga Wagga ... | 8,900 | 56 | 35,600 |
| Casino | 3,430 | 7 | 2,947 | land— | | | | Wallendbeen ... | 7,800 | 1 | 3,000 |
| Coraki | 1,260 | Nil. | Nil. | Armidale | 6,020 | 57 | 55,100 | Wyalong | 830 | 1 | 350 |
| Grafton | 4,790 | 5 | 9,664 | Glen Innes | 4,630 | 25 | 28,214 | Young | 3,600 | 13 | 13,536 |
| Grafton, South... | 1,680 | 5 | 14,475 | Inverell | 4,580 | 24 | 14,730 | | | | |
| Kempsey | 3,610 | 22 | 10,805 | Tenterfield ... | 2,290 | 6 | 7,325 | | | | |
| Lismore | 9,540 | 40 | 46,187 | Uralla | 910 | 3 | 1,820 | North Central | | | |
| Maclean | 1,600 | 4 | 2,650 | Walcha | 1,290 | * | * | Plain— | | | |
| Mullumbimby ... | 1,310 | Nil. | Nil. | | | | | Moree | 3,520 | 27 | 63,140 |
| Murwillumbah ... | 2,910 | 12 | 7,016 | | | | | Narrabri | 2,550 | 9 | 7,450 |
| Ullmarra | 2,180 | 4 | 1,100 | | | | | Narrabri, West ... | 930 | 2 | 1,400 |
| | | | | Central Table- | | | | | | | |
| Hunter and | | | | land— | | | | Central Plain— | | | |
| Manning | | | | Bathurst | 9,160 | 19 | 14,591 | Codotolu | 1,790 | 11 | 23,379 |
| Newcastle City... | 14,880 | 23 | 25,036 | Blackheath | 2,630 | 12 | 7,020 | Coonambie | 2,350 | 21 | 28,581 |
| Adamstown | 4,700 | 4 | 2,450 | Blayney | 1,510 | 6 | 4,070 | Nyngan | 1,330 | 7 | 5,190 |
| Carrington | 3,000 | 1 | 650 | Carcoar | 430 | 1 | 500 | Warren | 1,290 | 5 | 2,370 |
| Hamilton | 19,920 | 75 | 64,331 | Cowra | 4,470 | 29 | 29,763 | | | | |
| Lambton | 4,380 | 8 | 7,560 | Gulgong | 1,450 | 3 | 2,805 | | | | |
| Lambton, New... | 5,860 | 24 | 16,359 | Lithgow | 10,250 | 18 | 13,018 | | | | |
| Merewether | 8,100 | 69 | 46,282 | Lithgow | 15,170 | 13 | 6,279 | | | | |
| Stockton | 5,470 | 14 | 6,774 | Mudgee | 3,050 | 20 | 13,232 | | | | |
| Wallend | 7,300 | 17 | 9,958 | Orange | 8,470 | 59 | 71,585 | Riverina— | | | |
| Waratah | 17,550 | 68 | 45,833 | Wellington | 3,320 | 15 | 12,995 | Corowa | 2,620 | 7 | 6,140 |
| Wickham | 12,020 | 8 | 10,255 | | | | | Deniliquin | 2,930 | 5 | 3,271 |
| | | | | Southern Table- | | | | Hav | 2,630 | 6 | 2,057 |
| Total, New- | 103,180 | 311 | 241,788 | land— | | | | Hills'oon | 819 | 8 | 7,970 |
| castle and | | | | Bombala | 990 | 10 | 11,650 | Moama | 630 | 4 | 1,035 |
| Suburbs. | | | | Cooma | 1,840 | 4 | 3,450 | Narrandera | 3,660 | 30 | 21,190 |
| Aberdeen | 870 | 2 | 820 | Goulburn | 12,690 | 64 | 81,265 | | | | |
| Cessnock | 14,190 | 4 | 2,496 | Queanbeyan ... | 4,020 | 2 | 1,150 | | | | |
| Dungog | 1,960 | 4 | 1,560 | Yass | 2,650 | 15 | 10,594 | Western Divi- | | | |
| Greta | 1,520 | 2 | 400 | | | | | sion— | | | |
| Maitland, East... | 4,010 | 8 | 5,852 | | | | | Bairnald | 1,040 | 4 | 2,900 |
| Maitland, West... | 7,770 | 3 | 1,275 | | | | | Bourke | 1,640 | 4 | 2,960 |
| Morpeth | 1,070 | 3 | 1,350 | North-Western | | | | Brewarrina | 610 | 2 | 950 |
| Muswellbrook ... | 2,500 | 26 | 16,732 | Slope— | | | | Broken Hill | 23,260 | 23 | 7,836 |
| Port Macquarie... | 1,700 | 8 | 4,750 | Barra | 1,250 | 6 | 4,990 | Cobar | 1,050 | † Nil. | Nil. |
| Raymond Ter- | 850 | Nil. | Nil. | Bingara | 1,000 | 7 | 3,985 | Wentworth | 960 | † Nil. | Nil. |
| race. | | | | Gunnedah | 2,530 | † 10 | 2,650 | Wilcannia | 480 | 2 | 2,265 |
| Scone | 1,890 | 10 | 5,860 | Manilla | 1,510 | 5 | 3,170 | | | | |
| Singleton | 3,380 | 22 | 10,883 | Murrumbundi ... | 1,330 | 2 | 200 | | | | |
| Taree | 2,410 | 16 | 9,182 | Quirindi | 2,310 | 9 | 3,995 | Total, Country | 525,290 | 2,261 | 1,842,110 |
| Wingham | 1,300 | 12 | 6,356 | Tamworth | 7,560 | 75 | 64,005 | Municipalities. | | | |

* Information not supplied.

† Figures for January to March only.

Country Municipalities—New Buildings during 1920-29.

| Year. | New Buildings. | | Year. | New Buildings. | |
|-------------|----------------|------------------|----------------------------|----------------|------------------|
| | Permits. | Estimated Value. | | Permits. | Estimated Value. |
| 1920 | 3,859 | £ 2,822,240 | 1925 | 7,338 | £ 4,312,921 |
| 1921 | 3,131 | 1,979,109 | 1926 | 7,818 | 4,438,697 |
| 1922 | 4,629 | 2,678,393 | 1927 | 6,463 | 4,647,941 |
| 1923 | 6,026 | 3,759,126 | 1928 | 5,801 | 4,391,344 |
| 1924 | 6,008 | 3,747,801 | 1929 (January to June) ... | 2,261 | 1,842,110 |

Note.—Exclusive of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe, and Parramatta included in Metropolis from 1st January, 1929.

No. 53.—Shires—Population at 31st December, 1928.

| Shire. | Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1928. | Shire. | Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1928. | Shire. | Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1928. |
|-----------------------|---|-------------------------|---|---|---|
| Abercrombie | 3,620 | Gwydir | 1,080 | Tenterfield | 4,540 |
| Amaroo | 3,060 | Harwood | 5,030 | Terania | 6,560 |
| Apsley | 2,670 | Hastings | 8,150 | Timbrellong | 4,100 |
| Ashford | 2,240 | Holbrook | 2,150 | Tintenbar | 6,250 |
| Bannockburn | 3,180 | Hornsby | 19,950 | Tomki | 3,540 |
| Barraba | 2,170 | Hume | 5,080 | Tumbarumba | 2,280 |
| Baulkham Hills | 5,870 | Illabo | 2,840 | Turon | 3,040 |
| Bellingen | 5,050 | Imlay | 4,470 | Tweed | 10,290 |
| Berrigan | 4,510 | Jemalong | 3,390 | Upper Hunter | 4,500 |
| Bibbenluke | 2,860 | Jerilderie | 1,950 | Urana | 2,660 |
| Blacktown | 9,480 | Jindalee | 1,970 | Wakool | 3,260 |
| Bland | 8,860 | Kearsley | 24,710 | Walgett | 3,130 |
| Blaxland | 8,390 | Kyeamba | 4,200 | Wallerobba | 5,520 |
| Blue Mountains | 7,520 | Kyogle | 9,300 | Waradgery | 880 |
| Bogan | 1,980 | Lachlan | 5,080 | Warrak | 1,950 |
| Bolwarra | 3,350 | Lake Macquarie | 24,950 | Warringham | 14,890 |
| Boolooroo | 2,940 | Liverpool Plains | 5,160 | Waugoola | 5,840 |
| Boomi | 3,110 | Lockhart | 5,980 | Weddin | 3,290 |
| Boree | 6,290 | Lyndhurst | 5,140 | Windouran | 830 |
| Bull | 12,780 | Macintyre | 1,980 | Wingadee | 3,190 |
| Burrangong | 4,990 | Macleay | 7,340 | Wingecarribee | 4,230 |
| Byron | 7,170 | Macquarie | 3,570 | Wollondilly | 5,100 |
| Cambewarra | 1,310 | Mandowra | 2,480 | Woodburn | 2,800 |
| Canobolas | 5,820 | Manning | 13,080 | Woy Woy | 2,960 |
| Carrathool | 3,250 | Marthaguy | 1,850 | Wyaldra | 2,050 |
| Clyde | 1,600 | Merriwa | 2,520 | Yallarl | 2,980 |
| Cobbora | 5,350 | Mitchell | 5,010 | Yanko | 5,210 |
| Cockburn | 3,700 | Monaro | 2,680 | Yarrowlumla | 2,230 |
| Colo | 5,030 | Mulwaree | 7,880 | | |
| Conargo | 1,100 | Mumbulla | 4,040 | Total, Shires | 676,370 |
| Coolah | 1,710 | Murray | 2,440 | | |
| Coolamon | 7,400 | Murrumbidgee | 700 | Summary | |
| Coonabarabran | 5,700 | Murrungal | 2,630 | Shires | 676,370 |
| Copmanhurst | 3,110 | Muswellbrook | 3,380 | Municipalities | 1,743,000 |
| Coreen | 3,390 | Nambucca | 6,470 | Murrumbidgee Irriga- tion Area | 12,580 |
| Crookwell | 6,010 | Namoi | 6,610 | | |
| Cudgegong | 4,810 | Narraburra | 4,780 | Western Division— Unincorporated Area | 14,813 |
| Culcairn | 5,200 | Nattai | 4,030 | Lord Howe Island | 111 |
| Dalgety | 3,540 | Nepean | 2,550 | | |
| Demondrille | 3,090 | Nundle | 1,090 | | |
| Dorrigo | 8,690 | Nymbolda | 2,030 | | |
| Dumaresq | 4,550 | Oberon | 2,500 | Total, State of New South Wales. | 2,446,874 |
| Erina | 16,270 | Orara | 1,560 | | |
| Eurobodalla | 4,530 | Patrick Plains | 6,030 | | |
| Gadara* | 8,080 | Peel | 7,260 | | |
| Gilgandra | 5,120 | Port Stephens | 3,930 | | |
| Gloucester | 3,640 | Rylstone | 4,530 | | |
| Goobang | 5,830 | Severn | 5,490 | | |
| Goodradigbee | 3,250 | Stroud | 5,150 | | |
| Gostwyck | 3,870 | Sutherland | 10,900 | | |
| Gundagai | 4,610 | Talbragar | 3,830 | | |
| Gundurimba | 4,020 | Tallaganda | 2,190 | | |
| Gunning | 3,350 | Tamarrang | 2,660 | | |
| Guya | 6,590 | Tarro | 6,900 | | |

* Now Tumut Shire.

No. 54.—New South Wales Wheat Harvest, 1928-29.

The figures were compiled from returns made after the crops had been harvested, and furnished by each of the 16,970 wheat-growers of the State.

The area sown for grain was 4,076,600 acres, including 213,570 acres which failed entirely, and the grain harvested amounted to 16,394,200 bags, equivalent to 49,182,600 bushels, or an average of 12.1 bushels per acre.

The area sown for hay was 377,100 acres, including 13,010 acres which failed, and the production of hay was 392,790 tons, or an average of 1.04 tons per acre.

The area fed-off profitably—that is, with a green food value of 15s. or more per acre, was 16,400 acres; the area fed-off with a green food value of less than 15s. per acre has been included with the area which failed entirely. The total area sown with wheat was 4,470,100 acres.

In January, from an estimate based on earlier returns supplied by growers, it was anticipated that the yield for grain would be 49,798,200 bushels, but the actual harvest was 615,600 bushels or 1.2 per cent. below the estimate.

The crop was 40 per cent. above the average yield of the preceding ten years. The highest yield was obtained in the North Western Slopes—15.5 bushels per acre; the Northern Tableland produced 15.1 bushels per acre, and the South Western Slopes 14.1 bushels per acre. The Central and Southern Tablelands produced 13.9 and 12.8 bushels per acre respectively, and the Central Western Slope 11.3 bushels per acre. In the North Central Plains and the Riverina the production was 10.3 bushels per acre, and in the Central Plains 10 bushels.

Of the total area harvested for grain, including the area which failed entirely, 192,865 acres were sown on new land, 2,010,751 acres on fallowed land, and the balance, 1,872,938 acres, on stubble; the respective productions of grain were 6.5 bushels, 13.9 bushels and 10.6 bushels per acre.

The following table shows the actual results of the harvest in the principal divisions of the State:—

| Divisions. | Area sown for— | | Total Area sown with Wheat.† | Production. | | Average per acre, Grain. |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|----------------|------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------------------|
| | Grain.* | Hay.* | | Grain. | Hay. | |
| | Acres. | Acres. | Acres. | Bushels. | Tons. | Bushels. |
| Coastal | 1,500 | 700 | 2,600 | 15,900 | 650 | 10.6 |
| Tableland— | | | | | | |
| Northern | 10,600 | 1,600 | 12,600 | 159,800 | 1,690 | 15.1 |
| Central | 191,400 | 32,000 | 225,200 | 2,665,900 | 39,980 | 13.9 |
| Southern | 2,800 | 900 | 3,800 | 35,700 | 690 | 12.8 |
| Totals | 204,800 | 34,500 | 241,900 | 2,861,400 | 42,360 | 14.0 |
| Western Slopes— | | | | | | |
| North | 362,200 | 18,000 | 382,400 | 5,628,800 | 21,870 | 15.5 |
| Central | 801,700 | 80,800 | 886,600 | 9,048,200 | 75,520 | 11.3 |
| South | 1,012,100 | 101,200 | 1,114,900 | 14,304,500 | 115,620 | 14.1 |
| Totals | 2,176,000 | 200,000 | 2,383,900 | 28,981,500 | 213,010 | 13.3 |
| Central Plains and Riverina— | | | | | | |
| North Central | 115,100 | 9,800 | 126,600 | 1,191,200 | 9,410 | 10.3 |
| Central | 252,200 | 24,300 | 276,600 | 2,519,900 | 20,370 | 10.0 |
| Riverina | 1,321,000 | 105,300 | 1,430,000 | 13,584,000 | 106,210 | 10.3 |
| Totals | 1,688,300 | 139,400 | 1,833,200 | 17,295,100 | 135,990 | 10.2 |
| Western | 6,000 | 2,500 | 8,500 | 28,700 | 780 | 4.8 |
| Whole State, 1928-29 | 4,076,600 | 377,100 | 4,470,100 | 49,182,600 | 392,790 | 12.1 |
| 1918-19 | 2,409,669 | 613,544 | 3,227,374 | 18,325,000 | 517,370 | 7.6 |
| 1919-20 | 1,474,174 | 716,770 | 3,068,540 | 4,388,000 | 354,659 | 3.0 |
| 1920-21 | 3,127,377 | 520,555 | 3,663,352 | 55,625,000 | 821,745 | 17.8 |
| 1921-22 | 3,194,949 | 467,363 | 3,687,047 | 42,767,000 | 575,084 | 13.4 |
| 1922-23 | 2,942,857 | 598,184 | 3,892,009 | 28,668,000 | 649,049 | 9.7 |
| 1923-24 | 2,945,335 | 695,622 | 3,924,262 | 33,176,000 | 702,635 | 11.3 |
| 1924-25 | 3,550,078 | 388,479 | 3,960,204 | 59,767,000 | 537,057 | 16.8 |
| 1925-26 | 2,925,012 | 449,803 | 3,661,367 | 33,806,000 | 444,215 | 11.6 |
| 1926-27 | 3,352,736 | 311,213 | 3,700,108 | 47,541,000 | 393,915 | 14.2 |
| 1927-28 | 3,029,950 | 369,960 | 4,022,295 | 27,042,000 | 342,974 | 8.9 |
| 1928-29 | 4,076,600 | 377,100 | 4,470,100 | 49,182,600 | 392,790 | 12.1 |

* Inclusive of areas which failed (213,570 acres of wheat and 13,010 acres of hay), for season 1928-29.

† Includes area which was fed-off profitably. In 1928-29, 16,400 acres.

No. 55.—Agricultural Statistics, Year ended 30th June, 1928.

| Name of Crop. | Area. | Production. | Average Yield per Acre. | Average Yield previous 5 years. |
|---|------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | Acres. | Bushels. | Bushels. | Bushels. |
| Grain— | | | | |
| Wheat | 3,029,950 | 27,042,000 | 8'9 | 12'9 |
| Maize | 148,801 | 3,930,570 | 26'4 | 27'1 |
| Barley (malting) | 2,642 | 31,950 | 12'1 | 16'1 |
| " Other (feed) | 2,958 | 33,900 | 11'5 | 17'4 |
| Oats | 114,988 | 1,654,560 | 14'4 | 18'0 |
| Rye | 1,611 | 27,630 | 17'2 | 15'6 |
| Rice | 9,891 | 879,113 | 88'9 | 51'5 |
| Hay— | | Tons. | Tons. | Tons. |
| Wheaten | 369,960 | 342,974 | 0'93 | 1'12 |
| Barley | 615 | 656 | 1'08 | 1'21 |
| Oaten | 200,872 | 212,535 | 1'06 | 1'29 |
| Rye | 278 | 402 | 1'45 | 1'11 |
| Lucerne | 109,114 | 197,599 | 1'81 | 2'04 |
| Soudan | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Green Fodder (Fed-off) | 848,042 | Value £995,950 | Value £113/6 | Value £2 3s. |
| Root Crops— | | Tons. | Tons. | Tons. |
| Potatoes | 21,578 | 47,397 | 2'20 | 2'23 |
| Sweet Potatoes | 775 | 3,864 | 4'99 | 4'83 |
| Onions | 155 | 569 | 3'67 | 4'33 |
| Turnips | 693 | 1,906 | 2'75 | 2'53 |
| Mangold-wurzels | 29 | 231 | 7'97 | 9'08 |
| Other | 92 | 471 | 5'12 | 5'11 |
| Miscellaneous crops— | | | | |
| Broom Millet | 4,047 | { 19,343 cwt. of fibre. | 4'8 cwt. | ... |
| | | { 24,210 bush. of seed. | 6'0 bush. | 5'4 bush. |
| Tobacco | 803 | 5,967 cwt. | 7'4 cwt. | 8'2 cwt. |
| Sugar-cane— | | | | |
| Crushed | 8,556 | 208,612 tons. | 24'4 tons. | 26'5 tons. |
| Stand-over, etc. | 7,905 | ... | ... | ... |
| Grapes— | | | | |
| For Wine | 7,456 | 15,692 tons. | ... | ... |
| For table use | 2,576 | 4,250 tons. | ... | ... |
| For drying purposes | 2,965 | 35,639 cwt. | ... | ... |
| Wine made | ... | 2,295,030 gals. | † | † |
| Young Vines | 1,883 | ... | ... | ... |
| Orchards— | | | | |
| Productive | 59,873 | 5,415,035 bush. | 90'4 bush. | 87'6 bush. |
| Young Trees | 17,126 | ... | ... | ... |
| Bananas | 1,992* | 74,703 cases | 61 cases. | 62 cases. |
| Pineapples | 91* | 8,739 doz. | 130 doz. | 158 doz. |
| Market Gardens | 7,729 | Value £619,017 | Value £80 2s. | Val. £76 15s. |
| Tomatoes | 1,990 | 311,849 ½-cases | 157 ½-cases. | 197 ½-cases. |
| Pumpkins and Melons | 3,796 | 13,915 tons | 3'67 tons. | 3'83 tons. |
| Nurseries | 671 | Value £142,530 | Val. £212 8s. | Val. £237 17s. |
| Other crops | 12,317 | ... | ... | ... |
| Total (including area double cropped)... | 4,998,272 | ... | ... | ... |

* Includes young plants.

† The production does not relate to the areas shown.

NOTE.—Land under crop which failed is reckoned in the average.

No. 56.—Live Stock in New South Wales at 30th June, 1923, 1927, and 1928.

| Classification. | | | | | | 1923. | 1927. | |
|---|----------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------------|------------|------------|
| Horses— | | | | | | | | |
| 1 year and under 4—Colts and geldings | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 65,846 | 595,110 | 575,455 |
| Fillies | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 46,236 | | |
| 4 years and upwards—Stallions | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4,021 | | |
| Mares | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 264,511 | | |
| Geldings | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 250,801 | | |
| Foals under 1 year | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 28,616 | 28,282 | 22,922 |
| Total, Horses | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 660,031 | 623,392 | 598,377 |
| Cattle— | | | | | | | | |
| Dairy cows—In milk | { Registered dairies | | | | ... | 404,611 | 462,365 | 465,773 |
| | { Other cows | | | | ... | 79,525 | 85,674 | 84,731 |
| Dry | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 313,264 | 286,592 | 290,914 |
| Heifers—Springing | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 63,100 | 51,422 | 53,022 |
| Other—over 1 year | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 97,787 | 106,362 | 108,397 |
| Steers and young bulls—1 year and under 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 501,634 | 1,596,829 | 1,424,163 |
| Bulls—3 years and over | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 40,530 | | |
| Breeding cows, heifers, bullocks, etc. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,261,622 | | |
| Calves—under 1 year | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 489,107 | | |
| Total, Cattle | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3,251,180 | 2,818,653 | 2,848,654 |
| Sheep— | | | | | | | | |
| Rams | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 554,176 | 737,533 | 674,660 |
| Ewes | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 20,694,567 | 27,769,781 | 26,262,050 |
| Wethers | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10,444,928 | 15,327,524 | 15,199,970 |
| Lambs | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7,666,329 | 12,095,162 | 8,373,320 |
| Total, Sheep | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 38,760,300 | 55,930,000 | 50,510,000 |
| Swine— | | | | | | | | |
| One year old and upwards | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 83,488 | 90,874 | 80,102 |
| Under 1 year | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 257,365 | 242,047 | 221,717 |
| Total, Swine | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 340,853 | 332,921 | 301,819 |
| Goats—Angora | | | | | | 2,792 | 1,938 | 2,250 |
| Other | | | | | | 28,648 | 25,649 | 18,213 |
| Total, Goats | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 31,440 | 27,587 | 20,463 |
| Other live stock— | | | | | | | | |
| Camels | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 819 | 399 | 470 |
| Mules | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 110 | 63 | 70 |
| Donkeys | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11 | 51 | 101 |
| Ostriches | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 148 | 12 | 39 |

No. 57.—Estimates as to Sheep and Wool, 1928-29.

At 31st December, 1928, there were approximately 52,700,000 sheep and lambs in the State as compared with 48,920,000 a year previously—an increase of 3,780,000.

Approximately 50,300,000 sheep and lambs were shorn or reserved for autumn shearing in the current season (1928-29), yielding approximately 441,000,000 lb. of greasy wool, giving an average clip (including estimated crutchings) of 8·8 lb.

This total is 36,000,000 lb., or 9 per cent., greater than in the previous season, and has only once been exceeded, viz., by a record total of 456,870,000 lb. of wool shorn in 1926-27.

The totals for the present year compare with those of previous years as follow :—

| Year ended 30th June. | Number of sheep and Lambs shorn. | Average weight of wool clip (greasy) Sheep and Lambs. | Weight of Wool produced. | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|------------------------------|--|--------------|
| | | | Shorn, Crutched and Dead. | Derived from or exported on skins. | Total. |
| | Thousand. | lb. | Thousand lb. | Thousand lb. Greasy. | Thousand lb. |
| 1923 | 40,274 | 7·3 | 295,005 | 41,894 | 336,899 |
| 1924 | 38,371 | 7·1 | 273,687 | 29,345 | 303,032 |
| 1925 | 41,320 | 8·2 | 341,711 | 27,407 | 369,118 |
| 1926 | 45,550 | 8·1 | 369,500 | 32,990 | 402,490 |
| 1927 | 51,880 | 8·8 | 457,552 | 41,770 | 499,322 |
| 1928 | 53,730 | 7·5 | 406,080 | 37,780 | 443,860 |
| 1929 | 50,300 | 8·8 | 442,100 | † | † |

† Not available.

The approximate value at Sydney of the wool clip (exclusive of the value of wool derived from or exported on skins) was approximately £31,100,000, as compared with £33,000,000 in 1927-28, £32,650,000 in 1926-27, and £25,980,000 in 1925-26.

The number of sheep in the State has fluctuated as follows in recent years :—

| Year. | Number of Sheep and Lambs as at— | | Year. | Number of Sheep and Lambs as at— | |
|-------|----------------------------------|----------------|-------|----------------------------------|----------------|
| | 30th June. | 31st December. | | 30th June. | 31st December. |
| 1923 | 38,760,000 | * | 1926 | 53,860,000 | 54,630,000 |
| 1924 | 41,440,000 | * | 1927 | 55,930,000 | 48,920,000 |
| 1925 | 47,100,000 | * | 1928 | 50,510,000 | 52,700,000 |

* Not available.

Preliminary returns show the following totals for the year 1928 :—

| | |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| Lambs marked | 12,840,000 |
| Sheep and Lambs slaughtered | 4,820,000 |
| „ exported (net) | 1,130,000 |

No. 58.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1871-1928.

| | 1871. | 1881. | 1891. | 1901. | 1911. | 1921. | 1928. |
|---|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Area, 809,432 square miles (excluding 940 square miles of Federal Territory, 912 at Canberra and 28 at Jervis Bay). | | | | | | | |
| Population. | | | | | | | |
| 31st December ... persons | 517,758 | 782,080 | 1,162,190 | 1,376,199 | 1,701,884 | 2,129,505 | 2,446,874 |
| Births No. | 20,143 | 28,993 | 39,458 | 37,875 | 47,677 | 54,634 | 54,800 |
| " rate | 39'04 | 37'90 | 34'55 | 27'71 | 28'61 | 25'91 | 22'59 |
| Deaths No. | 6,407 | 11,536 | 16,286 | 16,021 | 17,179 | 20,034 | 22,694 |
| " rate | 12'61 | 15'08 | 14'26 | 11'72 | 10'32 | 9'50 | 9'35 |
| Marriages No. | 3,953 | 6,284 | 8,457 | 10,538 | 15,267 | 18,518 | 20,076 |
| " rate | 7'78 | 8'21 | 7'41 | 7'71 | 9'17 | 8'78 | 8'27 |
| Land Settlement. | | | | | | | |
| Alienated holdings— | | | | | | | |
| 31 acres and under | | | | | | | |
| 1,000 No. | • | 29,393 | 33,668 | 42,614 | 49,251 | 50,166 | • |
| acres | • | 6,520,387 | 8,422,014 | 10,332,903 | 12,878,652 | 15,315,331 | • |
| 1,000 to 10,000 acres.. No. | • | 4,382 | 5,043 | 5,043 | 7,133 | 10,551 | • |
| acres | • | 7,164,339 | 11,780,408 | 13,144,788 | 17,752,347 | 26,133,856 | • |
| Over 10,000 acres ... No. | • | 415 | 656 | 703 | 705 | 788 | • |
| acres | • | 14,100,350 | 20,843,827 | 22,392,051 | 21,312,847 | 19,554,281 | • |
| Agriculture. | | | | | | | |
| Total area under crop... acres | 393,413 | 583,868 | 846,383 | 2,276,528 | 3,381,921 | 4,464,342 | 4,994,515 |
| Wheat—Area | 154,030 | 221,887 | 356,666 | 1,392,070 | 2,128,826 | 3,127,377 | 3,029,950 |
| Yield bshl. | 2,229,642 | 3,405,966 | 3,963,668 | 14,808,705 | 27,913,547 | 55,625,000 | 27,042,000 |
| Average | 14'5 | 15'4 | 11'1 | 10'6 | 13'1 | 17'8 | 8'9 |
| Maize—Area acres | 119,956 | 117,478 | 174,577 | 167,333 | 213,217 | 141,105 | 148,801 |
| Yield bshl. | 4,015,973 | 4,330,956 | 5,721,706 | 3,844,993 | 7,594,130 | 4,176,000 | 3,930,570 |
| Average | 33'5 | 36'9 | 32'8 | 22'9 | 35'6 | 29'0 | 26'4 |
| Hay—Area acres | 51,805 | 146,610 | 163,863 | 442,163 | 638,577 | 854,263 | 680,919 |
| Yield tons | 77,460 | 198,532 | 209,417 | 472,621 | 843,080 | 1,374,656 | 754,176 |
| Average | 1'50 | 1'36 | 1'28 | 1'07 | 1'32 | 1'61 | 1'11 |
| Value of all Agricultural production £ | 2,220,000 | 4,216,000 | 3,615,000 | 7,060,000 | 9,749,000 | 32,373,000 | 17,018,170 |
| Value per acre of all crops | 5/11/9 | 7/4/5 | 4/5/5 | 3/2/0 | 2/16/2 | 7/5/- | 3/8/2 |
| Pastoral, Dairying, etc. | | | | | | | |
| Sheep No. | 16,278,697 | 36,591,946 | 61,831,416 | 41,857,099 | 48,830,000 | 37,750,000 | 50,510,000 |
| Cattle | 2,014,888 | 2,597,348 | 2,128,838 | 2,047,454 | 3,194,236 | 3,375,267 | 2,848,654 |
| Horses | 304,100 | 398,577 | 469,647 | 486,716 | 689,004 | 663,178 | 598,377 |
| Swine | 213,193 | 213,916 | 253,189 | 265,730 | 371,093 | 306,253 | 301,819 |
| Wool (as in the grease) lb. | 74,401,300 | 161,676,000 | 375,600,000 | 310,075,000 | 404,655,000 | 275,260,000 | 444,590,000 |
| Value at Sydney £ | 4,760,000 | 7,187,200 | 11,059,300 | 9,072,100 | 13,264,000 | 13,763,000 | 36,064,000 |
| Butter lb. | • | • | 18,362,897 | 39,056,878 | 83,204,568 | 84,268,041 | 101,595,358 |
| Cheese | • | • | 5,506,071 | 3,818,835 | 5,460,652 | 6,407,209 | 7,284,622 |
| Bacon and Ham | • | • | 6,009,600 | 11,080,891 | 16,102,827 | 16,257,242 | 25,479,208 |
| Value of Pastoral, Dairying and Farmyard Production £ | 8,719,000 | 13,151,000 | 17,460,000 | 15,635,000 | 27,120,000 | 36,783,000 | 60,680,000 |
| Minerals Won. | | | | | | | |
| Gold oz. fine | 294,389 | 135,033 | 131,654 | 173,543 | 181,121 | 51,173 | 12,831 |
| " oz. | 1,250,485 | 573,582 | 559,231 | 737,164 | 769,353 | 217,370 | 54,503 |
| Silver | • | • | 729,590 | 448,501 | 1,767,496 | 1,963,379 | 8,573 |
| " | • | • | 134,850 | 50,484 | 177,095 | 325,163 | 936 |
| Silver-Lead, ore, etc. ... ton | • | • | 147,780 | 417,078 | 338,469 | 53,507 | 247,487 |
| " | • | • | 3,484,739 | 1,833,979 | 2,265,669 | 539,339 | 2,491,153 |
| Copper—Ingots & ore, etc. ton | • | • | 2,710 | 6,733 | 12,100 | 499 | 55 |
| " | • | • | 11,828 | 267,884 | 119,195 | 412,292 | 590,702 |
| Tin—Ingots and ore ... ton | • | • | 6,433 | 1,657 | 659 | 1,929 | 1,595 |
| " | • | • | 568,795 | 133,963 | 76,544 | 307,089 | 163,451 |
| Zinc—Spelter Concentrates ton | • | • | • | 219 | 632 | 516,378 | 70,694 |
| " | • | • | • | 2,622 | 4,057 | 1,414,980 | 283,455 |
| Coal ton | 898,785 | 1,769,597 | 4,037,929 | 5,968,426 | 8,691,604 | 10,793,387 | 9,448,197 |
| " | • | • | • | 1,742,796 | 2,178,929 | 3,167,165 | 9,078,388 |
| Value of Minerals Won (exclusive of coke, lime, and Portland cement) £ | 1,626,000 | 2,138,000 | 6,399,000 | 5,575,000 | 9,225,000 | 12,066,000 | 14,363,569 |
| Value of Minerals at the place of production | • | • | • | • | 7,392,000 | 10,192,000 | 10,436,000 |
| Forests, Fisheries, and Trapping. | | | | | | | |
| Value of Production £ | 324,000 | 492,000 | 758,000 | 986,000 | 2,213,000 | 4,089,000 | 5,208,000 |
| Primary Industries. | | | | | | | |
| Value of Production £ | 12,889,000 | 19,997,000 | 28,232,000 | 29,256,000 | 46,474,000 | 83,437,000 | 93,342,000 |
| Factories. | | | | | | | |
| Establishments No. | 1,813 | 2,961 | 3,056 | 3,367 | 5,039 | 5,837 | 8,362 |
| Persons employed ... males | • | 28,819 | 43,203 | 54,556 | 82,083 | 112,187 | 137,936 |
| " females | • | 2,372 | 7,676 | 11,674 | 20,541 | 32,824 | 44,724 |
| Salaries and Wages paid | • | • | 4,272,704 | 4,952,000 | 10,497,662 | 25,618,591 | 37,818,141 |
| Value of Plant and Machinery £ | • | • | 4,386,475 | 5,860,725 | 12,510,600 | 31,115,444 | 50,489,674 |
| Value of Output £ | • | • | 16,807,132 | 25,648,471 | 54,346,011 | 137,841,386 | 181,403,084 |
| Manufacturing Industry. | | | | | | | |
| Value of Production £ | 2,490,000 | 5,183,000 | 7,799,000 | 10,011,000 | 19,432,000 | 43,128,000 | 71,805,000 |
| " per head | 4/18/- | 6/15/6 | 6/16/7 | 7/6/6 | 11/13/5 | 20/12/8 | 29/18/2 |
| Production all Industries | £ 15,379,000 | 25,180,000 | 36,066,000 | 39,373,000 | 65,906,000 | 126,565,000 | 165,147,000 |
| " per head | £ 30/5/3 | 32/18/3 | 31/11/7 | 28/15/10 | 39/11/6 | 60/10/11 | 68/15/9 |
| Shipping. | | | | | | | |
| Inwards, Vessels No. | 1,891 | 2,254 | 2,602 | 2,760 | 3,127 | 3,019 | 3,212 |
| " net tons | 706,019 | 1,456,239 | 2,752,157 | 4,133,200 | 6,822,135 | 7,123,331 | 9,088,697 |
| Outwards, Vessels No. | 2,123 | 2,103 | 2,654 | 2,853 | 3,146 | 3,023 | 3,285 |
| " net tons | 794,460 | 1,330,261 | 2,801,320 | 4,274,101 | 6,833,782 | 7,122,209 | 9,034,906 |

No. 58.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1871–1928—*continued.*

| | 1871. | 1881. | 1891. | 1901. | 1911. | 1921. | 1928. |
|--|---------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Trade. | | | | | | | |
| Imports, Oversea ... | £ 5,481,655 | 11,829,007 | 15,127,641 | 17,560,207 | 27,343,428 | 72,466,388 | 65,072,266 |
| „ „ per head ... | £ 10/15/9 | 15/9/3 | 13/4/11 | 12/16/11 | 16/8/4 | 34/13/4 | 27/2/1 |
| Exports, Oversea ... | £ 5,452,840 | 9,753,644 | 14,620,889 | 18,210,627 | 32,161,401 | 52,601,806 | 51,882,929 |
| „ „ per head ... | £ 10/14/7 | 12/15/0 | 12/16/0 | 13/6/5 | 19/6/3 | 25/3/3 | 21/12/2 |
| Interstate Transfers— | | | | | | | |
| Inwards ... | £ 4,453,412 | 5,758,005 | 10,255,756 | 9,368,011 | • | • | • |
| Outwards ... | £ 5,808,379 | 6,554,161 | 11,323,131 | 9,140,497 | • | • | • |
| Produce of New South Wales Ex- ported Oversea (See note.) | | | | | | | |
| Wool (greasy, scoured, and wool tops) ... lb. | 38,323,302 | 81,906,922 | 235,470,988 | 217,285,747 | 297,828,544 | 180,781,627 | 340,978,355 |
| „ „ „ „ „ | £ 2,292,522 | 4,107,715 | 7,670,460 | 7,420,119 | 11,979,815 | 12,821,572 | 30,320,107 |
| Wheat and Flour† ... bus. | 8,445 | 21,699 | 54,947 | 54,204,892 | 14,324,845 | 24,727,402 | 10,034,715 |
| „ „ „ „ „ | £ 2,414 | 5,337 | 11,683 | 680,719 | 2,519,354 | 11,190,658 | 2,740,805 |
| Butter† ... lb. | 115,304 | 402,421 | 401,690 | 8,699,817 | 33,044,324 | 28,428,758 | 21,348,023 |
| „ „ „ „ „ | £ 27,415 | 11,992 | 17,756 | 379,341 | 1,518,993 | 3,458,280 | 1,429,716 |
| Frozen Mutton and Lamb† lb. | ... | ... | ... | 39,369,792 | 59,948,989 | 21,472,310 | 17,670,829 |
| „ „ „ „ „ | £ ... | £ ... | £ ... | 382,385 | 682,027 | 680,631 | 410,745 |
| Other Meats† ... | £ 130,999 | 191,774 | 198,194 | 490,382 | 981,749 | 1,347,459 | 808,673 |
| Tallow ... | £ 245,352 | 244,271 | 292,672 | 362,631 | 871,018 | 615,057 | 457,255 |
| Leather ... | £ 83,899 | 130,417 | 130,774 | 347,327 | 323,517 | 524,078 | 339,394 |
| Skins and Hides ... | £ 38,115 | 130,277 | 376,295 | 431,232 | 1,145,138 | 1,911,589 | 4,550,265 |
| Minerals and Ores (exclusive of Gold) ... | £ 248,996 | 1,214,085 | 1,392,076 | 1,893,314 | 4,072,531 | 7,088,155 | 4,130,371 |
| Timber, undressed ... | £ 3,990 | 12,930 | 44,437 | 76,124 | 243,811 | 438,151 | 177,893 |
| Total value of Produce of New South Wales Exported Oversea. (See note) ... | £ 4,058,974 | 8,152,776 | 11,215,234 | 13,267,550 | 27,491,326 | 48,302,717 | 51,882,029 |
| Public Finance. | | | | | | | |
| Revenue proper ... | £ 2,215,846 | 6,551,134 | 9,773,332 | 10,612,422 | 13,882,485 | 34,031,396 | 44,108,072 |
| „ „ per head ... | £ 4/7/2 | 8/11/3 | 8/11/2 | 8/15/6 | 8/9/6 | 16/5/7 | 18/8/2 |
| Expenditure proper ... | £ 2,666,948 | 5,625,749 | 10,215,820 | 9,991,983 | 14,470,687 | 34,476,892 | 45,293,968 |
| „ „ per head ... | £ 5/4/11 | 7/7/1 | 8/18/11 | 7/6/5 | 8/16/8 | 16/9/10 | 18/17/4 |
| „ „ General Loan ... | £ 488,727 | 2,397,368 | 4,750,167 | 2,785,029 | 3,921,758 | 14,701,028 | 14,407,619 |
| „ „ per head ... | £ 0/19/3 | 3/2/8 | 4/3/2 | 2/0/10 | 2/7/11 | 7/0/8 | 6/0/0 |
| Public Debt. | | | | | | | |
| Total ... | £ 10,614,330 | 16,924,019 | 52,950,733 | 67,361,246 | 95,523,926 | 164,336,492 | 245,248,000 |
| Per head ... | £ 20/10/- | 21/12/10 | 45/11/3 | 49/7/1 | 57/8/11 | 78/2/5 | 101/3/0 |
| Trading Banks. | | | | | | | |
| Deposits ... | £ 7,043,886 | 20,308,017 | 35,659,690 | 33,258,456 | 55,327,038 | 107,676,416 | 138,512,880 |
| Advances ... | £ 7,668,022 | 20,935,596 | 45,068,914 | 35,068,787 | 42,456,515 | 104,709,314 | 140,600,523 |
| Assets ... | £ 11,592,076 | 27,870,483 | 53,596,259 | 43,437,559 | 61,906,824 | 132,433,933 | 170,941,702 |
| Liabilities ... | £ 8,016,832 | 22,394,316 | 37,589,764 | 35,077,832 | 57,755,159 | 111,409,482 | 144,627,752 |
| Savings Banks. | | | | | | | |
| Accounts ... | No. 24,379 | 72,384 | 158,426 | 306,311 | 544,023 | 1,126,157 | 1,596,657 |
| Deposits ... | £ 945,915 | 2,608,701 | 5,342,135 | 11,808,710 | 25,361,338 | 57,394,441 | 81,493,879 |
| Average per depositor ... | £ 38/16/0 | 37/5/8 | 33/14/5 | 38/11/0 | 46/12/4 | 50/19/4 | 51/0/10 |
| Average per inhabitant | £ 1/16/6 | 3/9/0 | 4/11/11 | 8/11/7 | 14/1/3 | 27/5/8 | 33/12/2 |
| State Railways. | | | | | | | |
| Line open ... miles | 358 | 995 | 2,182 | 2,864 | 3,761 | 5,043 | 5,867 |
| Capital cost ... | £ 5,887,258 | 13,301,597 | 31,768,617 | 38,932,781 | 50,971,894 | 82,304,194 | 117,984,374 |
| Passengers ... | No. 759,062 | 6,907,312 | 19,037,760 | 29,261,324 | 60,919,628 | 120,735,140 | 148,046,881 |
| Net earnings ... | £ 158,257 | 705,892 | 1,143,050 | 1,455,578 | 2,351,144 | 3,234,528 | 4,273,185 |
| Net return on capital invested ... per cent. | 2.68 | 5.30 | 3.59 | 3.78 | 4.67 | 4.01 | 3.62 |
| State Tramways. | | | | | | | |
| Line open ... miles | ... | 9½ | 43 | 79 | 190 | 227 | 210 |
| Capital cost ... | £ ... | 169,450 | 1,004,212 | 2,194,493 | 5,121,586 | 9,060,757 | 11,609,078 |
| Passengers ... | No. 7,090,125 | 68,050,527 | 93,703,685 | 93,703,685 | 230,275,938 | 337,689,873 | 346,013,775 |
| Net Earnings ... | £ ... | 10,442 | 53,171 | 89,203 | 221,682 | 528,486 | 619,205 |
| Net return on capital invested ... per cent. | ... | 6.16 | 5.32 | 4.06 | 4.53 | 5.93 | 5.33 |
| Postal. | | | | | | | |
| Offices ... | No. 570 | 1,128 | 1,728 | 2,208 | 2,490 | 2,609 | 2,683 |
| Letters and Post Cards ... | No. 7,509,500 | 26,534,160 | 68,987,300 | 82,783,467 | 189,656,401 | 262,025,990 | ... |
| „ „ per head ... | 94.77 | 34.68 | 60.41 | 60.56 | 113.87 | 125.35 | ... |
| Newspapers ... | No. 3,902,100 | 16,527,900 | 42,517,300 | 52,317,650 | 71,619,194 | 63,261,430 | ... |
| „ „ per head ... | 7.86 | 21.60 | 37.23 | 38.27 | 43.00 | 30.26 | ... |
| Telegraphs and Telephones. | | | | | | | |
| Telegraph Stations ... | No. 89 | 318 | 674 | 978 | 1,406 | 2,252 | 3,041 |
| Telegrams and Cablegrams ... | 218,530 | 1,607,206 | 4,046,251 | 3,449,315 | 5,863,560 | 8,585,835 | 7,090,157 |
| Telephone Line Con- nections ... | ... | ... | 1,558 | 9,864 | 34,551 | 74,490 | 137,602 |
| Money Orders. | | | | | | | |
| Issued in New South Wales | £ 293,370 | 771,978 | 1,577,744 | 1,637,488 | 2,819,183 | 5,829,758 | 7,852,117 |
| Paid in New South Wales | £ 271,842 | 675,025 | 1,518,987 | 1,669,730 | 2,949,264 | 5,897,458 | 7,665,839 |
| State Education. | | | | | | | |
| Public Schools at 31st | | | | | | | |
| December ... | No. 659 | 1,406 | 2,461 | 2,818 | 3,125 | 3,216 | 3,156 |
| Teachers ... | 810 | 2,199 | 4,438 | 5,212 | 6,517 | 9,594 | 12,002 |
| Scholars on roll ... | 39,070 | 144,119 | 206,438 | 210,588 | 221,810 | 315,228 | 362,549 |
| Average attendance ... | ... | ... | 122,528 | 154,404 | 160,776 | 248,606 | 290,194 |
| Expenditure by State | £ 132,968 | 508,604 | 769,565 | 761,637 | 1,242,576 | 3,558,837 | 5,007,834 |

* Information not available.

† Includes Ship Stores exported overseas.

Note.—The exports in 1921 and 1928 include articles produced in other States of Australia. Since 1st January, 1912, the Commonwealth Customs Department has classified all goods produced in the Commonwealth simply as "Australian," without distinguishing, as formerly, the particular State where they were produced.

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Illawarra.

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Ku-ring-gai Chase, 35,000 acres.

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